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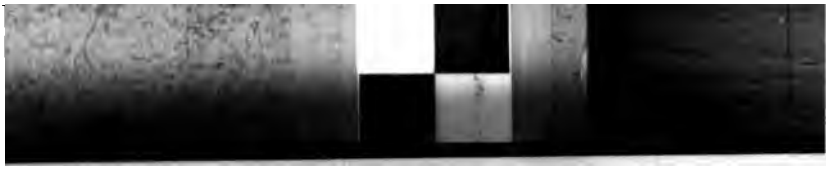

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"The Church Periodical Club"

What It Is ***What It Does*** ***What It Needs***

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in, entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

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Eleventh Annual Report

From Nov. 1st, 1900, to June 1st, 1901.

This report covers seven months only, owing to change in date for making up report. Hereafter it will date from June to June.

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total of reports received from 44 of the 55 Dioceses interested in the work:

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals, sent regularly each week, or month	13,567
No. of Books, Theological, Secular and Juvenile, and Tracts	25,676
No. of Bibles, Testaments, Gospels	1,082
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without notes	3,695
No. of Catechisms	2,192
No. of Christmas, Easter and Reward Cards and Calendars	53,011
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols and Sheet Music	10,670
No. of Games	245
No. of Pictures	11,226
No. of Odd Magazines, Illustrated Papers, etc., both Church and Secular, sent out in packages from time to time through the year	208,764

No. of Letters and Postals received at Central office	3,991
No. of Letters and Postals written at Central office	4,527
No. of Mail Packages sent from Central office.....	2,604
No. of Express Packages sent from Central Office...	274
No. of Freight Packages sent from Central Office...	204
No. of Boxes, Barrels and Packages sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not counted.....	404
No. of Clergy supplied.....	1,265
No. of Laity supplied.....	2,928
No. of Hospitals, Reading Rooms, Libraries, etc., supplied	480

Thanks are due to the following firms for donations of books, papers, calendars, etc: Messrs. Pott, Gorham, Whittaker, Dutton, Longman Greens, Everitt & Francis, Burnton, A. S. Barnes & Co., and Mrs. Williams. Also from the Outlook Co.

The New York Bible and Prayer Book Society is most generous in its response to appeals for Bibles and Prayer Books for Missions, sent through the C. P. C.

Report of Recording Secretary

From the seed planted by the Founder in wise and tender forethought, the Church Periodical Club has grown into a great tree whose leaves carry cheer and inspiration to hundreds of lonely hearts throughout the length and breadth of the land, but we must not forget that, to insure vigorous growth and continuous life, the very sap of the tree must be Personal Responsibility. That must continue to be the key note of the work as it was meant to be in the beginning, before an office and clerical staff was dreamed of; so people were then asked to send periodicals and books always at their own expense, and were expected to be both regular and systematic; certainly the pleasure of a recipient is diminished when, through the neglect or thoughtlessness of a donor, the looked-for book does not arrive.

The office expenses increase rather than diminish, for naturally there are many who, while willing and glad to pass on the books and magazines for others to share in the pleasure they have already enjoyed, cannot afford the expense of mailing them, and it is then that the need of an office appears; but if those who *could,* would follow the example of the friend who, being in the habit of purchasing a book for herself every month, doubled her own pleasure by promising to buy a new book for a clergyman at the same time for a year, what a help it would be to the Club, as well as the recipient, who, it is unnecessary to add,

could not obtain the much-needed mental food in any other way.

In this age of munificently endowed libraries, there are those who might think our work unnecessary, but what makes the Church Periodical Club unique and beautiful, is that it reaches those who live in isolated places, or small villages where a free library is unknown.

Could some princely donor be made to realize the untold value of the work accomplished, our Endowment Fund might rest upon a substantial basis, instead of being a dream we can only hope to see materialize in the distant future. In the meantime we can work and pray for a work in which we believe; for if it be true, as a well-known writer says, that, "To reach the intellect as well as the heart of the public to-day, the preacher must be a universal scholar," what a boon the Church Periodical Club can be, and is, to those workers in God's Vineyard, whose meagre salaries will not permit the spending of a penny to gratify intellectual hunger

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) LELIA H. SACKETT.

Church Periodical Club

Dr. **In account wi**

To rent for office, Oct. 1, 1900, to Nov. 1, 1901 (13 months)...	$ 617 50	
Rent for extra room, May 1, 1901, to Nov. 1, 1901 (6 mos.)	50 00	
Salaries	1700 00	
Office expenses: postage, express, printing, wages of useful man, etc	574 00	
Stamps, cheque stamps, receipt books for treasurer pro tem	15 46	
Bank charges for out-of-town cheques	1 66	
Clinton express, freight and cartage	220 63	
Ice bills, May 1, 1900, to Nov. 1, 1901, (18 months)	23 44	
Janitor Calvary parish house (April Meeting)	3 00	
Notices in Churchman, Young Churchman and Church Standard	11 31	
Treas. of Woman's Auxiliary, printing report of C. P. C..	3 34	
Mason Pub. and Printing Co., annual reports (6,000)	78 50	
Paul & Falconer Co., letter heads, envelopes and printing	22 50	
Times Printing House, reports of April meeting (200)...	6 00	
Neumann Bros., binding	40 50	
Arthur, Mountain & Co., Treasurer's record books	9 50	
Burnton & Co., Clergy record books, wrappers, wrapping paper, twine, blotters, etc., for office	21 60	
International Carbon Paper Co	4 00	
Bullinger, Postal & Shippers' Guide	1 50	
Safe for office and expense and placing	49 00	
George C. Thomas, treasurer, United Offering	21 00	
E. S. Gorham, book for Ascension Church	3 00	
Reading room at Sacketts Harbor	12 00	
Books, Bibles and Hymnals	264 35	
Subs. (207) to Parish Visitor	58 00	
Subs. (300) to Young Christian Soldier	15 00	
Subs. (4) to Church Standard	10 00	
Christmas and Easter cards and calendars	54 46	
Catechisms, tracts and leaflets	127 42	
		4018
Nov. 1, 1901—Balance		745
		$4764

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Withdrawn from Savings Bank	$ 758 50	
Paid to Treasurer Endowment Fund	700 00	
		1458
Nov. 1, 1901—Balance in Institution for Savings of Merchants Clerks		2273
		$3731

Examined and found correct.

JAS. R. STRONG, *Auditor.*

Church Periodical Club

M. J. P. Bullis, Treasurer (pro tem.) *Cr*

Nov. 1900—By balance		$ 265 5
Annual subscriptions	$ 548 00	
Donations	2499 29	
Sale of old books and magazines	171 40	
Sale of pictures	9 00	
Refunded by beneficiaries: for ice	18 28	
Freight	3 30	
Calendar pads, erasers, etc	1 91	
Specially given: for salaries	50 00	
Express and postage	56 29	
United Offering	15 65	
Barrels	1 00	
Books, Bibles and Hymnals	267 84	
Subs. to Parish Visitor	45 00	
Subs. to Young Christian Soldier	2 50	
Subs. to Church Standard	10 00	
Christmas and Easter Cards	40 94	
		3740 4
Received from Savings Bank: salary of one clerk from Feb. 1, 1901, to Nov. 1, 1901	450 00	
Rent of extra room from May 1, 1901, to May 1, 1902	103 00	
Sum for debts of previous year	125 43	
Book Fund of Ascension Church	25 72	
Safe in office and expense of placing	49 00	
United Offering (sum with interest for two years)	5 35	
		758 5
		$4764 4

Bank, from Nov. 1, 1900, to Nov. 1, 1901

Nov. 1, 1900, sum in Savings Bank		$3000 0
Jan. 1, 1901, deposited interest for previous year	$ 105 00	
April, 1901, deposited for Building Fund	10 00	
July, 1901, salary for one clerk from Nov. 1, 1900, to Nov. 1, 1902	600 00	
July, 1901, interest for three months	16 84	
		731 8
		$3731 8

M. J. P. Bullis, *Treasurer (pro tem).*

Founder's Endowment Fund

The Treasurer of the Founder's Endowment Fund of the Church Periodical Club, presents the following statement for the present year:

The semi-annual payment from the original endowment, for July, instead of, as hertofore, being ninety-three dollars, was by an extra one per cent. on the investment, one hundred and twenty-four dollars —this sum is promised also for January, 1902.

Amount of money, also in bank, at this date, from all sources is two thousand, four hundred and sixty-three dollars and ninety-three cents.

There has never been a year, since its formation, that the fund has not grown, that it has grown slowly, those who love it best are obliged to admit—but if slowly, surely, and its patient lovers believe it will "grow and wax a great tree"—who will help us this year, ever so little, toward the result?

All contributions thankfully received and gratefully acknowledged by the Treasurer of this fund,

MRS. DANIEL T. HOAG,

51 West 49th St.,

November, 1901. New York City.

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club, and under the care of Mrs. Henry F. Starbuck, are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to Mrs. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Illinois.

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In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months, not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season on the second Monday of each month from November to April, inclusive, at Calvary Parish House, 106 East 22d street, New York City, 2.30 p. m.

The date of these meetings will be announced by postal.

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Amendments to the Constitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature systematically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, a General Secretary, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the Officers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The Regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from November to April inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

The Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in November. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place monthly from October to May inclusive, at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, provided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular Meeting.

Amounts Contributed

By Dioceses and Missionary Districts

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
1—Albany			
St. Paul's, Albany	$ 5 00		
St. Peter's Albany	3 75		
All Saints Cathedral, Albany	2 00		
Christ Church, Hudson	5 00		
St. Paul's, Kinderhook	1 00		
		$16 75	$16 75
2—Missionary District, Boise			
St. Luke's, Weiser, Idaho			10 00
3—California		37 00	27 25
4—Central Pennsylvania			
St. Paul's, Whitehaven	1 00		
St. Stephen's, Wilkes-Barre	1 00		
Through the Woman's Auxiliary			
St. Stephen's, Wilkes-Barre	5 00		
Grace Church, Honesdale	5 00		
Good Shepherd, Milford	1 00		
Trinity, Carbondale	2 00		
St. Paul's, Troy	2 00		
St. John's, Lancaster	1 00		
Trinity, Easton	1 00		
St. John's, Carlisle	2 00		
St. Paul's, Bloomsburg	5 00		
St. Stephen's, Harrisburg	2 00		
St. Paul's, Scranton	5 00		
St. Paul's, Lockhaven	1 00		
St. Luke's, Lebanon	1 00		
		35 00	17 00

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
5—Chicago			
Mrs. Sims and Mrs. Bloomingston, Chicago	10 00		
Ascension Church, Chicago	5 00		
			15 00
6—Colorado			
Mrs. Higby, correspondent, Denver	3 00		
St. Mark's, Denver	1 00		
			4 00
7—Connecticut			
The Woman's Auxiliary	50 00		
Church of the Good Shepherd, Hartford	12 00		
Trinity, New Haven	1 00		
Mrs. Osborn, Norwalk	5 00		
Mrs. C. S. Karsin, Greenwich	1 00		
Name not recorded	59		
		69 59	68 59
8—Dallas			
Rev. B. B. Ramage, St. Andrew's, Fort Worth, Texas			10 00
9—Delaware			
St. Peter's, Smyrna	50		
			50
10—Georgia			
St. Luke's, Atlanta	3 00		
St. Luke's Guild, Atlanta	6 00		
Name not recorded	10		
		9 10	1 60
11—Kansas			
Through correspondent	1 50		
St. Paul's, Manhattan	25		
St. John's, Hiawatha	27		
St. Luke's, Wamego	73		
Mrs. M. Honeywell, Karwood	1 00		
Name not recorded	1 00		
		4 75	2 00

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
12—Kentucky			
Christ Ch. Cathedral, Louisville	22 50		
St. Andrew's, Louisville.....	3 32		
St. Paul's, Henderson.....	1 00		
	——	26 82	1 00
13—Long Island			
Through the Woman's Auxiliary			
Grace Church, Brooklyn.....	3 00		
St. James', Brooklyn.....	1 00		
St. Martin's, Brooklyn.....	2 00		
St. Thomas, Brooklyn.....	2 00		
Other parishes (from correspondent)	59 70		
Holy Trinity, Brooklyn.....	10 00		
St. John's, Brooklyn.....	1 00		
St. Stephen's, Brooklyn.....	2 00		
St. George's, Astoria.....	4 00		
Ch. of the Redeemer, Astoria...	1 60		
Mrs. G. A. Haley, Astoria.....	1 00		
Anonymous	1 00		
	——	88 30	87 30
14—Los Angeles			
Ch. of the Angels, Garavanza...	1 00		
Christ Church, Los Angeles....	1 00		
All Saints', Pasadena.....	1 00		
	——	3 00	3 00
15—Maine			
Woman's Auxiliary.....		2 00	2 00
16—Massachusetts			
Emmanuel, Boston.....	35 30		
St. Paul's, Boston.....	63 00		
Trinity, Boston.....	21 45		
Ch. of Good Shepherd, Boston..	12 10		
St. Paul's, Brookline.....	10 00		
St. John's, Cambridge.....	1 00		
St. John's, Jamaica Plain.....	7 00		
Christ Church, Andover.....	10		
St. John's, Athol.....	3 00		
St. Paul's, Dedham.....	1 00		
Ch. of Redeemer, Chestnut Hill.	1 00		
Trinity, Haverhill.....	1 00		
Ch. of Saviour, Roslindale.....	1 00		
Christ Church, Springfield.....	6 50		
St. Thomas, Taunton.....	75		
St. Chrysostom, Wollaston.....	1 00		
St. Stephen's, Pittsfield.....	5 00		
St. Paul's, Stockbridge.....	5 00		
Name of donor not recorded....	6 00		
	——	181 20	169 03

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
17—Maryland			
Church Home, Baltimore.....	2 00		
Memorial Church, Baltimore...	1 00		
St. Barnabas, Baltimore.....	1 25		
St. Matthew's, Oakland.....	5 00		
Mrs. Morton, Royal Oaks.....	1 00		
Name of donor not recorded....	1 00		
			11 25
18—Mississippi			
Miss J M. Finley, cor. Pass Christian			1 00
19—Michigan			
Woman's Auxiliary.....	25 00		
Christ Church, Detroit.....	5 10		
Grace Church, Detroit.....	2 00		
St. Andrew's, Detroit.....	1 05		
St. John's, Detroit.....	8 85		
St. Paul's, Flint.....	12 87		
Trinity, Bay City.....	2 00		
		56 87	30 10
20—Missouri			
Rt. Rev A. S. Tuttle, St. Louis.	10 00		
Church of the Holy Communion, St. Louis	4 00		
Trinity Church, St. Louis.....	1 00		
St. John's Church, St. Louis....	50		
		15 50	1 00
24—Newark			
Grace Church, Orange.....	7 06		
House of Prayer, South Orange	1 00		
Church of the Holy Communion, South Orange	3 00		
St. Luke's, Montclair.....	3 25		
St. John's Mission, Montclair...	2 00		
St. John the Divine, Hasbrouck Heights	50		
Christ Church, Hackensack.....	1 00		
Grace Church, Madison.....	3 00		
Calvary, Summit.	1 00		
Trinity, Newark	1 00		
Mrs. Starkey.....	2 00		
Mrs. Browning.....	2 00		
Mrs. J. B. Roberts.....	1 00		
Mrs. Drury.....	1 00		
From correspondent.....	16 50		
		45 31	35 81

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
22—New Hampshire			
St. Barnabas, Berlin.....			5 00
23—New Jersey			
Miss Janeway, New Brunswick.	50		
Name of donor not recorded....	1 00		
			1 50
24—North Carolina			
Calvary, Wadesboro.....	3 40		
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro.....	2 00		
Emanuel, Southern Pines.....	2 50		
St. Philip's, Durham.....	2 00		
St. Stephen's, Oxford.....	1 00		
Christ Church, Raleigh.....	1 00		
Good Shepherd, Raleigh.....	1 00		
Chapel of the Cross, Littleton..	1 00		
Mrs. N. W. Smith, Stoneville...	28		
Mrs. A. M. Chisholm, Spencer..	10		
Miss M. Smith, Waterville.....	1 75		
		16 03	16 03
25—Ohio			
Mrs. A. Whittemore, Cleveland			1 00
26—Missionary District, Olympia			
Trinity, Seattle, Washington...	2 00		
St. Paul's, Port Townsend, Washington	50		
Name of donor not recorded....	1 00		
			3 50
27—Oregon			
St. George's, Roseburg.....	1 50		
Trinity, Portland.....	2 50		
		4 00	4 00
28—Pennsylvania			
St. Andrew's (8th and Spruce sts) Philadelphia.....	5 00		
St. Andrew's, Woman's Auxiliary, Philadelphia.....	1 40		
St. James', Philadelphia.....	5 00		
St. Mark's, Philadelphia.....	5 00		

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
St. Luke's, Epiphany, Phila....	1 00		
St. Clement's, Philadelphia.....	5 50		
St. Philip's, Philadelphia.....	1 00		
Holy Trinity, Philadelphia.....	1 00		
Church of the Saviour, West Philadelphia	2 00		
Calvary, Germantown.....	5 00		
Christ Church, Germantown....	2 00		
Grace Church, Mt. Airy.....	5 00		
St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill.....	1 00		
All Saints', Torresdale.....	35		
Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr	24 00		
St. Asaph's, Bala.....	5 00		
Mrs. J. D. Sheaff, Fort Washington	5 00		
		74 25	74 25
29—Pittsburg			
Through correspondent.....		13 50	13 50
30—Rhode Island			
Through correspondent.....	28 00		
Miss Arnold, Providence.....	25		
			28 25
31—Missionary District, Salt Lake			
Rt. Rev. A. Leonard, Salt Lake City	5 00		
St. Mathew's, Grand Junction, Colorado	25		
			5 25
32—Southern Ohio			
Grace Church, Avondale.....	1 00		
Mrs. W. H. Dickenson, West Union	1 00		
			2 00
33—South Carolina			
St. Michael's, Charleston.....	23 39		
St. Philip's, Charleston.....	3 08		
Church of the Holy Communion, Charleston	4 50		
St. Paul's, Summerville.....	1 00		
Church of the Nativity, Union..	1 00		
		32 97	19 15

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
34—Southern Virginia			
Woman's Auxiliary	5 00		
Church of the Centurion, Fort Monroe	10 00		
Christ Church, Norfolk	2 00		
Trinity, Portsmouth	25		
Holy Trinity, Onancock	25		
St. Luke's, Norfolk	1 00		
Christ Church, Eastville	50		
Roanoke	2 00		
		21 00	5 00
35—Missionary District, Southern Florida			
Through correspondent	2 00		
Grace Church, Ocala	16		
Trinity, Thonotosassa	25		
Holy Cross, Sanford	50		
Woman's Auxiliary, Lakeland	45		
		3 36	1 16
36—Tennessee			
Rev. S. H. Green, Memphis	1 00		
Fairmount College, Monteagle	1 00		
			2 00
37—Texas			
Mrs. Desel, correspondent, Dickinson		1 00	1 00
38—Vermont			
Name of donor not recorded			1 00
39—Virginia			
All Saints', Richmond	7 00		
Monumental Church, Richmond	6 25		
St. James, Richmond	1 00		
St. Mark's, Richmond	2 50		
Grace, Richmond	4 75		
Holy Trinity, Richmond	1 00		
St. Paul's, Richmond	50		
		23 00	8 00

		Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
40—Washington, D. C.			
Trinity, Washington	3 50		
Ascension, Washington	1 25		
St. John's, Washington	75		
St. Paul's, Washington	1 00		
St. James, Washington	50		
Epiphany, Washington	50		
St. John's, Georgetown	50		
Christ Church, Georgetown	50		
St. Stephen's, Georgetown	1 00		
St. Thomas, Georgetown	1 50		
		11 00	5 00
41—Missionary District, Western Texas			
St. Luke's, Ladies' Aid Society, San Antonio	1 00		
Church of the Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi	4 65		
Rev. R. Galbraith, St. Peter's, Kerville	1 00		
			6 65
42—Western New York			
Trinity, Buffalo	3 00		
St. Luke's, Buffalo	2 00		
St. Luke's, Woman's Auxiliary, Buffalo	1 00		
Church of the Ascension, Buffalo	1 00		
St. John's, Canandaigua	1 00		
St. Michael's, Geneseo	1 00		
Ch. of the Redeemer, Addison	1 00		
St. Mark's, Rochester	1 75		
Trinity, Geneva	4 00		
Through former correspondent, Dec., 1900	16 81		
		32 56	29 56
43—West Virginia			
St. Matthew's, Wheeling	10 00		
Trinity, Parkersburg	5 00		
Charles ton	50		
Hedgesville	33		
St. Matthias, Grafton	1 00		
St. Bartholomew's, Leetown	48		
St. John's, Rippon	1 35		
Trinity, Moundsville	25 00		
		43 66	41 58

44—New York	Total receipts reported.	Contributions received by Treasurer.
Rt. Rev. H. C. Potter		50 00
All Angels'	43 70	33 70
All Angels' Guild		5 00
All Souls'		1 00
Archangel	6 00	1 25
Church of the Ascension	109 72	43 46
Christ Church		53 00
Christ Church, Woman's Auxiliary		12 75
Christ Ch. Woman's Aux, Riverdale		3 50
Epiphany	7 10	6 10
Grace Church	676 75	641 95
Grace Church, a member, special for salary		600 00
Grace Chantry—a collection		2 40
Heavenly Rest	43 60	28 00
Heavenly Rest—a collection		14 60
Holy Apostles		15 00
Holy Apostles', Woman's Miss. Society		5 00
Holy Communion	39 00	31 10
Holy Sepulchre		1 00
Holy Trinity, Harlem		1 00
Incarnation	81 00	79 00
Intercession		4 61
Intercession, Woman's Auxiliary		5 00
St. Andrew's	120 82	56 82
St. Andrew's Guild		50 00
St. Ann's, Morrisania	16 26	7 46
Trinity, Morrisania		1 00
St. George's	98 04	68 89
St. George's Woman's Auxiliary		25 00
St. James'	58 35	54 25
St. Luke's	29 50	144 75
St. Luke's, Daughters of the King		50
St. Mark's		19 01
St. Mark's, Girl's Guild		1 50
St. Mary's, Manhattanville		25
St. Mary's, Mott Haven		1 30
St. Mary's, Mott Haven, Daughters of the King		2 00
St. Mary the Virgin		1 00
St. Matthew's	38 74	31 49
St. Michael's	10 03	6 13
St. Peter's		1 00
St. Peter's, Woman's Miss. Society		12 50
St. Stephen's	10 25	5 20
St. Thomas	191 50	31 25
St. Thomas—a collection		307 08

	Total receipts reported	Contributions received by Treasurer.
Transfiguration	88 00	61 34
Trinity Parish:—		
Trinity Church		5 00
St. John's Chapel		16 50
Trinity Chapel	145 50	149 50
Trinity Chapel, Miss. Relief Ass'n		25 00
St. Agnes' Chapel	74 83	71 59
St. Agnes' Chapel, Daughters of the King		5 00
Zion and St. Timothy	95 95	100 15
Ascension, Mount Vernon	12 00	10 25
St. Peter's, Westchester	6 00	5 00
Christ Church, Rye		1 00
Trinity, New Rochelle		1 00
St. James, Fordham	8 12	
St. Andrew's, Yonkers	23 57	8 03
St. John's, Yonkers	18 66	8 00
St. John's, Yonkers, Woman's Auxil'y		25 00
St. Paul's, Yonkers	6 00	6 00
St. Barnabas, Irvington	29 00	19 75
St. Peter's Lithgow	3 10	
St. Margaret's, Staatsburg	6 02	1 00
Trinity, Fishkill	2 83	
St. Andrew's, Fishkill	14 71	1 00
St. George's, Newburgh	3 00	1 00
Christ Church, Poughkeepsie	8 35	1 00
St. Paul's, Poughkeepsie	25	
St. James the Less, Scarsdale	2 50	
St. Luke's, Matteawan	8 50	5 50
Church of the Holy Communion, Lake Mahopac		2 00
St. James, Goshen	7 00	
Miss A. J. Bolton, New Rochelle		50
Miss Sibyl Crotu, New York		1 00
Miss Collins, New York		4 61
Mrs. W. G. Dominick, New York		5 00
Mrs. Walter Ferguson, New York		1 00
Mrs. L. Hiller, New York		1 00
Mrs. W. Peterson, New York		10 00
Miss Tappan, New York		1 00
Mrs. O. F. Von Arnim, Larchmont		2 00
Total from New York	$2144 25	$3022 52
Rev. James Simonds, Aylesford, Nova Scotia		1 00
Anonymous		19 73

Extracts from Interesting Letters

The Rev. Chas. Thorpe of Mansfield, La., writes: "Many thanks for your kind favor of the 24th. I wish to acknowledge again your great kindness to me in supplying my home with literature. It is most helpful and I really do not know how I should get along without it."

Mrs. L. B. Ridgely, of the American Mission, Wuchang, via Hankow, China, writes: "The Harper's Magazine comes faithfully and I have written lately to donors to assure them of its safe arrival.

"Munsey used to come, but stopped last winter, perhaps on account of uncertainty of our whereabouts.

"I have come to the period we prophesied I should reach, where I long to see a Harper's Bazar and learn what's wrong with my wardrobe. Perhaps coming up to Keeling this summer and seeing so many missionaries who look as though they might be second cousin to Mrs. Noah, impels me to cry out for a fashion bazar to use and hand about our little compound at Wuchang."

The Rev. A. R. Mansfield of The Seaman's Mission, 34 Pike street, writes: "I am indeed very grateful to you and your Club for the splendid supply you send us every year. We could not meet the demands

made upon us if it had not been for the kindness of the Church Periodical Club. How badly we need the German and Scandinavian papers and magazines. It is difficult to make people realize that I have nearly failed in getting any of them at all."

MISS ELLIOTT, of Salt Lake City, Utah, who gave us Mrs. Kirk's address, writes: "I have just returned from Moab where I've heard many thanks for the magazines sent from the Church Periodical Club. They have brightened Moab and then gone off to make glad the shepherds and cowboys—and won't you please make plain to the donors that silence on the part of recipients means neither indifference nor ingratitude. I saw one bundle received by a Mormon woman, too poor to buy books, yet she wanted to pay in fruit for them, as her boys did so enjoy them. Mrs. Kirk has left Moab indefinitely, so will you please ask that all magazines be sent to Mrs. Henry G. Green, Moab, Utah. She will not only enjoy and appreciate them, but her husband will see that they reach the men in the Moutains."

ENSLEY, Alabama, P. O. Box 1.
July 11th, 1901.

"My Dear Madam:

"I feel so deeply indebted to the C. P. C. for the great pleasure I receive from it, that I am compelled to write and say so occasionally, also to let you know that I try to give as much benefit to others as is possible. The Churchman and Parish Visitor are passed on as long as they last, and the Outlook, Review of Reviews and Spirit of Missions I send to the Reading Room for young men, where they give a great deal of pleasure, and I hope of good. This is a new place of many "works," which employ hundreds of men, I

should say thousands, and the majority are single, many, even if married, have not yet brought their families, so the ladies have fitted up a Reading Room where they may spend their time evenings and their Sundays, and I think good literature sent there must be beneficial.

"Again thanking you, and promising always to do my best to help another,

"I am truly yours,

(Signed) "(MRS.) M. L. DuBOSE."

"More than two years ago, I had occasion to write to the Church Periodical Club in behalf of a young teacher then so ill that few ever hoped to see her well again. Immediately a vol. of Longfellow's Poems was sent me for her and because the week proved to be very stormy before I could go to see her, I found that a box of choice books had been sent her by the St. Thomas branch—through its Secretary, Miss Henrietta P. Cumming. This was the turning point. She began at once to improve and gained daily, so much so that by fall she was enabled to take again her school in one of the wildest neighborhoods far up in the Mountains—where until now, no teacher had been willing to take the school the second time. After a year a school house was built for her near her father's home and twice has she been made teacher. Is this cheering and kind sympathy only a thing of words? I tell you nay. You have done a kindness that helps many lives. Shall I fling you another picture? Remember prejudice is very strong against the church and to use a Prayer Book in school where not wanted would banish the most successful teacher. A little girl came with her mother one day with fresh eggs. As it was cold they lingered near the hall fire and seeing the wistful look on the child's face some on said:

Would you like to sing a hymn with us? and opening the piano handed the child a Hymnal. She could not read then. I see the little girl a woman grown and standing with her class to receive her High and Normal School certificate after reading her Essay. Does she count now the years of discouragement, poverty and long, long self-denial, aye, and teaching, too before this coveted prize could be won? She has earned for herself an organ and taught herself—so that last week we stood around her as she played and sang the hymn in memory of President McKinley. While to-day she tells me many of her pupils came last Sunday afternoon for her to read and sing hymns with them—to each of whom she gave a tiny Hymnal of those sent me after the Cuban war. They were so pleased as to write her a little note of thanks and ask to come again. A Native teacher can do much. May this encourage others to help as kindly and wisely and with as cheerful promptness as did St. Thomas Branch.

"Eve of St. Michael and All Angels. 1901."

St. Andrew's Mission, Rampart, Alaska.

"Dear Madam:

"I want to express to the Church Periodical Club my sincere thanks for their great kindness in sending to St. Andrew's Mission so many good books and magazines, and pretty pictures and calendars, three boxes in all, which were received in perfect condition. My stock of reading matter to lend out had become rather low, but with the valuable addition to it which the Church Periodical Club has sent me, I have been able to fit up the book shelf again. It is always a pleasure to have a stock of good books to lend. I advertise the fact that the Mission's lending Library has been replenished, and men come to the Mission for reading matter; some come to get books to read who would not be dis-

posed to come for any other reason, and in each case I am often able to find opportunity in the natural course of a conversation to speak a word and express an opinion or give a bit of device on the subject of religion or good morals—an opportunity which I could with difficulty find in some other way. Then the Bible & Prayer Book Society send me Testaments which I give away when I lend out books sent me by the Church Periodical Club. Some books which the Club sends are of such value that I endeavor to keep them permanently on the shelves of the Mission Library. But the paper covered books I circulate and keep track of them as long as I can. They finally disappear, however. A man moves away and takes the book along with him, or he lends it to a friend and it is not returned to me. So towards Spring the books on the shelves thin out a good deal. I mention this because I shall be grateful to have the work of this Mission remembered again by the Club at some future time. The calendars please the Indians very much. The Indians are fond of pictures, especially colored ones. They paste them on the walls of their cabins where they serve a double purpose—they have at once an esthetic and practical value, they please the eye and excite the imagination, and they instruct the mind and help to shut out the cold.

"Again thanking you and the Club, I am

"Very sincerely yours,

"E. J. KNAPP.

"September 2d, 1901."

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What it is:

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I. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and ıddresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in, entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

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CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total of reports received from 46 of the 62 Dioceses Missionary Districts interested in the work:

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals, sent regularly each week, or month	1
No. of Books, Theological, Secular and Juvenile	2
No. of Tracts	
No. of Bibles, Testaments and Gospels	
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without notes	
No. of Catechisms	
No. of Christmas and Easter Cards, Reward Cards and Calendars	4
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols	
No. of Music Sheets	
No. of Games	
No. of Pictures	1
No. of Odd Magazines, Illustrated Papers, etc., both Church and Secular, sent out in packages from time to time through the year	21
No. of Boxes, Barrels and Packages sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not counted	
No. of Clergy Names on C. P. C. books	
No. of Laity Names on C. P. C. books	
No. of Hospitals, Reading Rooms, Libraries, etc	
No. of Librarians reported	
No. of Persons reported as contributing	
No. of Mail Packages sent from Central Office	
No. of Express Packages sent from Central Office	
No. of Freight Packages sent from Central Office	
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	
No. of Letters and Postals written at Central Office	

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donation books to the following firms: E. P. Dutton & Co., Mrs. Willi Charles P. Everitt, with Doubleday, Page & Co., Tho Whittaker, James Pott, Longman, Green & Co., R. W. Crot Burnton & Co., A. S. Barnes & Co., Henry G. Allen & Co.

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Thanks are also due to the Publishers of The Churchman and Southern Churchman for free copies sent to the Club.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

Report of Recording Secretary

In reviewing the past year we find cause for gratitude for work accomplished, and incentive for increased effort.

It is a thrilling thought that such results should follow the kindly consideration of one woman for her fellow-men, and she has worthy successors in the faithful women who carry on that work year after year and have not grown weary in well-doing.

Many cases could be mentioned where clergymen have been supplied for years by the same faithful friend who never forgets the duty imposed upon herself. A marked improvement is seen in the quality of literature sent into the office, and the promptness in sending periodicals. When it is not convenient to send one's own periodical, it is suggested tha magazines, and especially Church papers, sent from the publishers, will be most acceptable.

When we read the grateful letters received from all parts of the world testifying to the great good accomplished by the Church Periodical Club, of the lonely hearts cheered, the starved minds fed, we have cause for humble gratitude for the privilege of sharing in a work which from its unassuming beginning has grown to such proportions, a power for good in the world.

Respectfully submitted,
L. H. SACKETT,
Recording Secretary.

Treasurer's

Dr. **Church Periodical Club in account**

FROM NOV. 1, 1901

To Rent for six months	$334 98	
Salaries	1,010 00	
Office Expenses: Postage, Printing, Stationery, Wages of Useful Man, Etc	407 22	
Treasurer, Postage and Receipt Books	10 45	
Bank charges for out-of-town cheques	90	
Freight and Cartage	159 98	
Printing Annual Reports (4,000)	119 25	
Treasurer Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of New York	3 34	
E. S. Gorham, Book for Ascension Church	2 70	
Catechisms, Tracts, Leaflets, Reward Cards	80 37	
Parish Visitor	33 75	
Young Christian Soldier	1 50	
Theological Books	78 58	
Bibles and Testaments	8 75	
Hymnals	25 82	
Salvage Lot of Hymnals, Prayer Books and Bibles	37 50	
Subscriptions: (2) to Century	8 00	
(15) to Churchman	24 00	
(4) to Southern Churchman	10 00	
(1) to Agriculturist	90	
(1) to The Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	
(1) to The Delineator	75	
Christmas and Easter Cards and Calendars	38 69	
A "Shut in"	5 00	
Christmas Box	12 00	
Mrs. N. Geoffroy	1 00	
		2,416 43
May 1, 1902. Balance		1,473 62
		$3,890 05

Memorandum of Account in Institution

FROM NOV. 1, 1901

Withdrawn from Savings Bank	$656 61	
May 1, 1902. Balance	1,656 50	
		$2,313 11

Examined and found to be correct,

WILLIAM G. DAVIES, } *Auditors.*
ALEX. RICE MCKIM, }

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h Mary Jean P. Bullus, Treasurer. *Cr.*

AY 1, 1902.

1, 1901. By Balance		$745 80
al Subscriptions	$422 44	
tions	1,275 19	
of Old Books, Magazines and Papers	88 31	
of Pictures	5 50	
from Clergy Book Closet	5 36	
ided: for Klips	1 70	
for Salvage Lot Hymnals, Prayer Books and Bibles	38 28	
ally given: Rent of Extra Room	38 50	
Salary	50 00	
Express and Postage	68 16	
Books, Bibles, Testaments and Hymnals	134 52	
Christmas and Easter Cards and Calendars	37 55	
Mrs. Morgan's Christmas Box	13 50	
"United Offering" in 1904	2 01	
Mrs. N. Geoffroy	1 00	
A "Shut in"	5 00	
Parish Visitor	70 95	
Young Christian Soldier	16 50	
riptions to Century, Churchman, Scribner, Southern Churchman, Agriculturist, Ladies' Home Journal, Delineator	48 00	
tines for Rev. Mr. Mosher	3 00	
Fund of Ascension Church	38 17	
est from Endowment Fund (six months)	124 00	
		2,487 64
ved from Savings Bank: Salary of one Clerk from Nov. 1, 1901 to Nov. 1, 1902	600 00	
est due July 1, 1901 and January 1, 1902	56 61	
		656 61
		$3,890 05

Savings of Merchant's Clerks.

IAY 1, 1902.

1, 1901. By Balance	$2,273 34	
1. 1902. Interest (six months)	39 77	
		$2,313 11

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The Constitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature systematically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, a General Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the Officers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The Regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from November to April inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

The Anual Meeting shall be that which is held in November. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place monthly from October to May inclusive, at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, provided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular Meeting.

By-Laws.

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint ecial Committees, when authorized by the Club, and call ecial Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. A Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, rform the duties of that Office.

3. The General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence the Club, issue notices of, and prepare a Report for all eetings, including the Annual Repo t with statistics.

The General Secretary shall also have the oversight of the ork done in the Central Office, and authority to appoint a sub-itute to fulfil such duties during her absence.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all eetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual eport, with such assistance as she may ask for at at the April eeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the me in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, id make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall nder a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Monthly eeting, and prepare a Report for the Annual Meeting.

6. The Treasurer of the Endowment Fund shall have iarge of that Fund, and invest the same, subject to the ap-oval of the Advisory Committee. She shall report to the eneral and Executive Meetings.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting,

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

VI.

Order of Business.

General Meeting.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of General Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Roll Call.
6. Reading of letters by the General Secretary.
7. Unfinished Business.
8. New Business.
9. Closing Prayers or Doxology.
0. Adjournment.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VII.

Correspondents.

In every Diocese in which this work is carried on there nall be a Correspondent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties nall be as follows :

To interest the Parishes in the work, and endeavor to have Librarian appointed in each Parish :

To keep a list of Parishes and Librarians working for the hurch Periodical Club :

To obtain from the Central Office all information required y the Librarians, and transmit the same to them, immediately :

To send to the Central Office an Annual Report of the work one in her Diocese.

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall e a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows :

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them contributions of literature and money:

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same:

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address:

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish:

To send a notice of each Genera Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and addit onal Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure" by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

Amounts Contributed

By Dioceses and Missionary Districts

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	*Sums received by Treasurer.
1—Alabama		
Church of the Holy Comforter, Montgomery	$2 00	$1 00
St. Paul's, Selma	4 65	4 65
	$6 65	$5 65
2—Albany		
All Saints' Cathedral, Albany	14 00	2 00
St. Paul's, Albany	5 53	
St. Peter's, Albany	14 54	
St. John's, Cohoes	2 79	
St. George's, Schenectady	1 85	
Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese Albany	4 00	
	42 71	2 00
3—California		
Through Correspondent	58 50	10 50
Mrs. R. V. Dodge, San Francisco		1 00
Mrs. C. E. Hay, San Francisco		1 00
Miss Baker, San Francisco		1 00
Mrs. J. W. C. Maxwell, San Francisco		3 75
	58 50	17 25
4—Central Pennsylvania		
St. John's Parish, Bloomsburg	5 00	
St. Stephen's, Woman's Auxiliary, Wilkes-Barre	5 00	
St. Peter's, Hazelton	2 00	1 00
Balance in Treasury	8 96	
Grace Church, Honesdale		1 00
St. John's, East Mauch Chunk		2 00
St. Stephen's, Wilkes-Barre		1 00
	20 96	5 00

*This column reports only the sums received by the Treasurer from November 1st, 1901, to May 1st, 1902.

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
5—Colorado		
Correspondent, Denver		$3 50
Cathedral of St. John, Denver	1 25	
St. Mark's, Denver	2 00	
Trinity Memorial	25	
St. Stephen's, Denver	25	
	3 75	3 50
6—Connecticut		
Woman's Auxiliary	50 00	
St. Paul's, Bantam		1 00
Correspondent, Hartford	6 00	5 00
St. Paul's, Norwalk		1 00
Holy Trinity, Middletown		1 00
	56 00	9 00
7—Dallas		
Correspondent, Terrel, Texas	1 00	1 00
8—Delaware		
Correspondent, Middletown	11 90	
St. Ann's, Middletown		1 00
St. Thomas', Newark		1 00
St. James'. Stanton		1 25
St. Peter's, Smyrna		50
	11 90	3 75
9—Easton		
St. Luke's, Church Hill, Maryland		1 00
10—East Caroliua		
St. Mary's. Hinston		1 00
11—Georgia		
St. Elizabeth's Guild, St. Luke's, Atlanta	3 00	
Miss Isabel S. Rogers, Marietta		1 00
	3 00	1 00

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
—*Iowa*		
Anonymous		50
—*Indian Territory, (Missionary District)*		
St. Luke's, Chickasha		1 00
—*Kansas*		
Correspondent, Wamego		1 50
—*Kentucky*		
Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville	10 68	
St. Andrew's, Louisville	4 20	
St. Peter's, Louisville	5 40	
Church of the Advent, Louisville	5 80	
Church of the Epiphany, Louisville	1 85	
St. Paul's, Louisville	3 00	
St. Paul's, Henderson	4 20	
St. Mark's, Crescent Hill	2 94	
Grace, Paducah	1 87	
Trinity, Russelville	4 56	
Christ Church, Bowling Green	3 28	
	47 78	
16—*Long Island*		
Woman's Auxiliary, through Correspondent	150 04	57 10
St. George's, Astoria		1 00
Church of the Redeemer, Astoria		50
St. Stephen's, Brooklyn		1 50
St. Ann's, Brooklyn		1 00
St. Luke's, Brooklyn		1 00
St. James', Brooklyn		1 00
Mrs. O. W. Heinigke		1 00
	150 00	64 10
17—*Lexington*		
St. John's, Covington, Kentucky	6 87	2 00
Woman's Auxiliary, Ascension Church, Frankfort		1 75
	6 87	3 75

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums rec by Treas
18—Los Angeles		
St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Los Angeles	3 00	
All Saints', Pasadena	1 00	1
Woman's Auxiliary, Trinity, Redlands	1 00	1
Ascension, Sierra-Madre	1 00	1
Mrs. Hubbard, Correspondent, Los Angeles	1 35	
	8 35	3
19—Louisiana		
Mrs. M. W. Peterman, Louisiana P. O.		1
20—Maine		
Through Correspondent	8 06	
21—Marquette		
Through Correspondent	5 00	
22—Maryland		
St. John's, Glyndon	2 00	
St. Peter's, Baltimore	1 63	2
St. Barnabas, Baltimore	4 18	
Memorial Church, Baltimore	1 00	1
Other Expenses of Postage, etc	4 42	
St. Michael and All Angels, Baltimore		1
St. Matthew's, Oakland		1
St. Peter's, Solomon's P. O., Calvert County		1
	13 23	1
23—Massachusetts		
Through Correspondent		3
Emmanuel, West Roxbury		
Miss Loring, Boston		
Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston	2 00	
All Saints', Worcester		
Anonymous, Worcester		
Christ Church, Quincy	1 00	
Mrs, Waldo Adams, Boston		
Anonymous, Boston		

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
St. John's, Jamaica Plain	1 00	7 00
St. Thomas', Somerville		1 00
Church of the Redeemer, Chestnut Hill		1 00
St. Thomas', Taunton	1 00	
Grace, New Bedford	5 00	
Christ Church, Andover	25	
St. Paul's, Boston	55 00	
Christ Church, Cambridge	85	
Emmanuel, Boston	31 33	
All Saints', Brookline	1 00	
Trinity, Boston	18 36	
St. Paul's, Dedham	1 00	
St. John's, Arlington	2 00	
From other sources	8 25	
	128 04	62 39
4—Mississippi		
Correspondent, Pass Christian	1 00	1 00
5—Montana, (Missionary District)		
Mrs. E. G. Thurston, Missoula		9. 00
6—Michigan		
St. John's, Woman's Auxiliary, Detroit	12 94	
St. James', " " "	2 00	
St. Andrew's, " " "	2 00	
Christ Church, " " "	5 00	
Grace Church, " " "	2 00	
Grace Church, Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	25	
St. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary, Detroit	3 00	
St. Joseph,s, " " "	1 00	
St. Peter's, " " "	50	
St. Matthew's, " " "	50	
St. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary, Flint	17 15	
Trinity, Woman's Auxiliary, Bay City	1 00	
St. Andrew's, Woman's Auxiliary, Ann Arbor	1 00	
Grosse Missionary Branch	1 00	
St. Paul's, Jackson	75	
St. Luke's, Ypsilanti	1 00	
Christ Church, Omosso	50	
	51 59	

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
27—Minnesota		
Rev. William Wilkinson, Minneapolis		2 55
28—Missouri		
Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, St. Louis	10 00	
Church of the Holy Communion. St. Louis	2 85	
Church of the Ascension, St. Louis	1 00	
St. Peter's, St. Louis	2 80	
Trinity, St. Louis	1 00	
St. John's, St. Louis	50	
Grace Church, Kirkwood	1 75	1 75
Emmanuel, Old Orchard		1 00
Correspondent, St. Louis	1 25	1 25
	21 15	4 00
29—Nebraska		
Mrs. George Worthington		25 00
30—Newark		
St. John's, Summit, N. J.	1 00	1 00
Christ Church, East Orange, N. J.	4 00	2 00
Grace, East Orange, N. J.	1 00	1 00
Holy Communion, South Orange, N. J.	2 00	2 00
Mrs. C. R. Lee, East Orange, N. J.		2 25
Calvary, Summit	1 00	1 00
Grace, Madison	3 00	
St. Peter's, Morristown	1 00	
Mrs. Browning	1 00	
Baby's Branch, Newark	3 00	
Names of Parishes not given	4 00	
House of Prayer, Newark		1 00
St. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary, Englewood		3 50
St. Peter's, Essex Falls		5 00
St. Luke's, Montclair	1 50	
Mrs. E. F. Redfield, Montclair		50
	22 50	19 25
31—New Hampshire		
St. Barnabas', Berlin		5 00
St. Paul's, Concord	1 00	1 00
St. James', Keene	1 00	
	2 00	6 00

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
2—New Jersey		
All Saints', Navesink	3 00	
Christ Church, Elizabeth	1 82	
Christ Church, New Brunswick		1 00
	4 82	1 00
3—North Dakota. (Missionary District)		
St. Paul's, Grand Forks		26
4—North Carolina		
Trinity, Scotland Neck	1 00	1 00
Miss L. G. Copehart, Littleton	2 00	2 00
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Cor., Hillsboro'	1 00	1 00
Miss Helen L. Webb, Hillsboro'	1 00	
Miss Hamilton, Hillsboro'	25	
Miss McKimmon, St. Mary's Sch. Raleigh	84	
St. Andrew's, Greensboro'	43	
Calvary Church, Wadesboro'	4 00	
Expenses of two Librarians	2 48	
Correspondent for postage	3 50	
Emmanuel, Stoneville		50
	16 50	3 50
5—Olympia, (Missionary District)		
Trinity, Seattle, Washington		2 00
6—Oregon		
Trinity, Portland	5 00	
St. George, Roseburg	2 50	
	7 50	
7—Pittsburg		
Rt. Rev. C. Whitehouse, (St. Mary's Memorial)	1 00	1 00
St. Andrew's, Pittsburg	1 00	1 00
St. Paul's, Erie, Pa	1 00	1 00
Calvary, Pittsburg	2 50	2 50
St. Peter's, Pittsburg	1 00	1 00
St. James' Memorial, Titusville, Pa	1 00	1 00
Christ Church, Greensburg, Pa	1 00	1 00

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
Grace Church, Miles Grove, Pa	1 00	1 00
Church of the Epiphany, Bellevue, Pa	1 00	1 00
St. Matthew's, Homestead, Pa	1 00	1 00
Church of the Good Shepherd, Hazlewood, Pa	1 00	1 00
St. Thomas', Oakmont, Pa	1 00	1 00
Trinity, Washington, Pa	1 00	1 00
Trinity, Pittsburg	3 00	2 00
St. Peter's, Uniontown, Pa	1 00	
Church of the Ascension, Pittsburg, Pa	2 00	
Christ Church, Allegheny, Pa	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Sewickley, Pa	1 00	
Emmanuel, Allegheny, Pa	1 00	
St. John's, Franklin, Pa	1 00	
Christ Church, Oil City, Pa	1 00	
Expenses of Postage etc.	8 51	
	34 01	16 50
38—Pennsylvania		
St. Andrew's, (8th and Spruce), Philadelphia	5 00	5 00
Holy Trinity Philadelphia	1 00	1 00
St. James', "	5 00	5 00
St. Mark's, "	5 00	5 00
Grace, "	1 00	1 00
Miss White, "		1 00
Mrs. John Markoe, Philadelphia		10 00
Calvary, Germantown	5 00	5 00
St. Peter's, Germantown	1 00	1 00
St. Paul's, Chester		1 00
St. James', Downingtown		1 00
St. John's, Lansdowne		2 10
Rev. S. R. Evans, Manheim		1 00
St. Mary's, Ardmore	3 00	3 00
Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr	26 00	31 00
Anonymous		2 00
	52 00	75 10
39—Rhode Island		
St. Stephen's, Providence	14 00	
All Saints', "	7 40	
Grace, "	4 25	
Christ Church, "	5 07	
St. Andrew's, "	2 00	

	Receipts reported. by Correspondents	Sums received by Treasurer.
St. John's, Providence	1 00	
St. James', "	10 00	
Church of the Redeemer, Providence	2 00	
Church of the Messiah, Providence	3 00	
Christ Church, Lonsdale	2 00	
St. James', Woonsocket	1 00	
St. Paul's, Pawtucket	1 00	
St. John's, Barrington	5 00	
Church of the Ascension, Wakefield	5 26	
Other expenses reported	26 90	
	89 88	
0—South Carolina		
St. Michael's, Charleston	29 83	5 00
Church of the Holy Communion, Charleston	4 50	
St. John's, Florence		1 00
	34 33	6 00
1—Southern Florida, (Missionary District)		
Correspondent	2 00	
Trinity, Thonotosassa	5 13	1 00
St. Luke's, Orlando	2 25	
Grace, Merritt	1 54	
	10 92	1 00
2—Southern Ohio		
Christ Church, Glendale		1 00
Grace Church, Avondale		1 00
Mrs. H. W. Dickinson, West Union		1 00
		3 00
3—Southern Virginia		
Correspondent	3 60	
4—Tennessee		
Mrs. Telfair Hodgson, Sewanee		2 00
5—Texas		
Correspondent	5 08	1 00

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums rec by Treas
46—Vermont		
Miss Evarts, Windsor		1
47—Virginia		
All Saints', Richmond	5 00	
St. Mark's, "	4 93	
St. Paul's, "	4 64	
Grace, "	4 43	
Holy Trinity, "	4 01	
Monumental Church, Richmond	4 00	
St. James', Richmond	1 00	
St. John's, Richmond	1 00	
Charlottesville Branch	1 75	
Winchester Branch	1 00	
	31 76	
48—Western Massachusetts		
Christ Church, Springfield	6 00	1
St. John's, North Adams	3 30	
St. Paul's, Stockbridge		5
	9 30	6
49—Western Missouri		
Christ Church, St. Joseph	1 00	1
50—Western Texas, (Missionary District)		
Correspondent, Terrell		1
51—Washington		
St. Paul's, Washington	3 50	
St. James', "	2 75	
St. Thomas' "	1 00	
St. John's, "	5 07	
St. Margaret's, "	6 00	
St. Stephen's, "	1 00	
Ascension, "	1 00	
Epiphany, "	6 16	
Trinity, "	14 00	
St. John's, Georgetown	1 00	
Correspondent, Washington		5
	41 48	5

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
—Western New York		
St. John's, Canandaigua	12 42	
St. Stephen's Olean	50	
Christ Church, Corning	1 00	
Christ Church, Albion	1 00	
Trinity, Geneva	2 25	
St. Luke's, Rochester	2 00	
St. Luke's, Buffalo	1 00	
St. Mary's-on-Hill, Buffalo	1 00	1 00
No name	2 50	
St. John's, Sodus		1 00
St. Luke's, Branchport		1 00
St. Michael's, Geneseo		5 00
St. Luke's, Jamestown	2 56	
Christ Church, Hornersville	2 24	
	28 47	8 00
53—Western Virginia		
Trinity, Parkersburg	25 76	
St. Matthew's, Wheeling	25 00	25 00
Postage, etc., expended	30 52	
	81 28	25 00
54—New York		
St. Michael's	11 34	2 35
St. Mark's	25 10	26 25
St. Mark's Girls' Guild		1 19
Church of the Ascension	67 00	68 10
Church of the Holy Communion	57 77	47 77
St. Stephen's	1 00	
Church of the Redeemer	3 61	
Zion and St. Timothy	100 00	100 10
Grace	412 70	411 65
Trinity Church		1 00
Church of the Holy Apostles		8 00
Calvary		58 55
Church of the Intercession	13 00	8 62
" " Rector's Aid Society		1 60
" " Missionary Society		4 55
Church of All Angels	58 65	66 65
Church of the Holy Sepulchre		2 00

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
St. Agnes' Chapel, Trinity Parish	40 77	22 52
" " St. Mary's Daughters of the King, in memoriam Rev. Dr. Bradley		5 00
St. James'	75 00	55 00
St. Thomas'	60 50	91 80
" Woman's Auxiliary		6 00
" A Collection		150 00
Church of the Incarnation	81 00	61 00
" " Chapel, Mothers' Meeting		50
St. Bartholomew's	123 00	55 00
St. George's	110 00	62 45
" Missionary Associa ion		25 00
Church of the Transfiguration	89 50	62 00
Church of St. Mary the Virgin		1 00
Christ Church, Woman's Auxiliary	63 25	63 25
Christ Church		5 00
Church of the Epiphany	7 31	8 31
Trinity Chapel, Trinity Parish	47 50	34 50
" " Missionary Relief Association		20 00
Church of the Heavenly Rest	35 96	3 00
St. Matthew's	32 62	29 47
Church of All Soul's		1 00
St. Luke's	40 00	20 00
Church of the Archangel	5 00	1 00
St. Barnabas House, Clothing Bureau		6 00
St. Peter's Woman's Missionary Society		13 50
Trinity Church, Fishskill	1 25	2 00
St. Andrew's, Fishskill	7 76	1 00
Trinity, Mount Vernon		1 00
Zion, Dobb's Ferry		50
St. John's, Yonkers	24 75	18 05
" " Woman's Auxiliary		25 00
Church of the Ascension, Mount Vernon	19 00	10 00
St. Andrew's, Yonkers	11 34	1 00
St. Andrew's, Harlem	36 28	18 75
" Guild, Harlem		33 50
Holy Trinity, Harlem		1 00
St. Peter's, Woman's Auxiliary, Westchester	9 75	5 00
Christ Church, Riverdale		25
Trinity, New Rochelle		2 17
Trinity, Ossining		1 00

	Receipts reported by Correspondents.	Sums received by Treasurer.
St. James', Goshen	7 27	1 00
St. James', Fordham	5 55	1 00
St. Ann's, Morrisania	1 35	5 00
St. Margaret's, Staatsburg	4 26	1 00
Anonymous, Poughkeepsie		40
St Peter's, Littgow	1 75	
St. George's, Newburgh	4 00	
Christ Church, Poughkeepsie	5 99	
St. Paul's, Poughkeepsie	25	
St. Paul's, Yonkers	50	
St. James', Scarsdale	55	
Church of the Messiah, Rhinebeck	1 00	
All Saints', Upper Red Hook	1 36	
Collection from April Meeting		3 00
Anonymous		14 28
	1,715 54	1,739 58

Extracts from Interesting Letters

The following extracts are taken from the numerous letters of "grateful acknowledgment" received at the General Office:

An army officer on duty in the Philippines writes:

"The ship stopped wherever light-houses or beacons had to be inspected or repaired, while we were landing food and supplies for the keepers. They are all Filipinos, and generally a fine class of men, well trained in their business, and glad to make improvements when they get a little urging. We hope in the course of time to provide a circulating library, or at least a few books at each station, so that they can keep in touch with the world. Several have learned to speak English well, and have taught their children."

An army chaplain in the United States says:

"Let me in a few words give an illustration of the kind of men one sometimes meets in the ranks.

"R. was born on a ranch of French Canadian father and Squaw mother. He grew up in an atmosphere of profanity, drinking, and gambling until he reached the age of twenty. Then, for the first time in his life, he had the opportunity of going to school. Yet having learned to read, at this age, his mind instinctively turned to the best books. He knows the writings of Emerson, Ruskin, and Carlyle better than any one in the Post. He has just read Bacon's Essays, Whateley's Annotations through, and is now reading Butler's Analogy. And while this man is exceptional, it is surprising what a high class of reading many of the men will take when properly interested."

From Japan one of the missionary workers writes:

"Some kind friend is sending me the *Outlook*. I do not know who it is, so I cannot write a letter of thanks. Will you kindly put a note of acknowledgment and thanks in the Spirit of Missions, please, so that my unknown friend may know of my gratitude. I wish you could see the snow up here, it surely rivals Alaska. It took us eight hours to go 28 miles the other day. A person could walk from the roof of one house opposite me to the roof of the neighboring house without any trouble, and it is still snowing. But of course when you read of the 200 soldiers buried in the snow, you can realize something of the awful snow we are having. One of the stations that I visit has become an earthquake centre lately."

The following letter was received from a Mission for Seamen:

"We desire to acknowledge a barrel of reading matter received from the Society a few days ago. We deeply appreciate your continual kindness in sending to us these books and magazines. If possible, please send us German reading matter. The question of keeping our Reading Room supplied with German and Scandinavian books and magazines is a serious one which I have never been able to solve. We expect very soon to have a large steam "Mission Boat" to visit all the incoming and outgoing vessels, when we shall need vast quantities of all kinds of reading matter to meet the demands made upon us."

These letters from the "Home Field" will give some idea of the appreciation shown for literature sent:

"I want you to know what good was accomplished by sending those tracts so promptly. A cousin of mine, 75 years old, who at times is a great invalid, wanted to answer some questions which her grandson had asked her. These tracts seemed to be just what he wanted, and fixed his determination

to be confirmed. I sent a set to a lady who came here to live a year ago. She had never been inside an Episcopal Church until she went to hear our Bishop last November. She was so ssed by the services that she determined to join our Church, and s ed for information. She said she read all five of them. I have given her Sadler's 'Church Doctrine Bible Truth,' which she will read during the winter. We sent some to a girl who had been talking to her rector, but could not make up her mind. There were four candidates, and three of them were directly influenced by these little tracts."

"Let me try to thank you for your most generous gift of the *Churchman* that has never failed in one single copy to reach me. Nor have I lost or destroyed a copy. I have lent some of the numbers to appreciating friends, who returned them, and I have every number that I have received from you filed. Such a periodical is far too valuable to be lost.

"At our Sunday-school meeting to-day a vote of thanks was unanimously tendered to all the ladies who helped in your good work. I am not capable of conveying to you the warmth and simple tenderness, and I may say, the native intensity expressed for so great a tenderness."

These are from isolated stations :

"I will tell you an incident that will show you the high esteem that is placed on this barrel you are sending. The distance from here to our nearest freight station and return is about seventy miles, and will take a team three days to make the round trip. I have been offered seven teams and as many men to go after the books, free of charge."

"The farmers live far apart, and will read if not obliged to go too far for reading matter. I have therefore established two free circulating libraries, one a mile and a half from C., the other

ıile north. It is singular how averse people are to go out of ir old rut, but like ants, you can place food in the beaten h, and they will stop and take as much as can be assimilated."

The C. P. C. also reaches the children, as these two extracts l show :

"There is a large field open around me void of literature children ; this I have been supplying as I could by cutting out table stories in the back of magazines ; these children rarely 'e a picture to gratify them. I cut out all bright colored ds" in the magazines before distributing them to older ›ple Amusement for children in winter is measurably sup- ɜd by giving them Fashion Catalogues. They cut out the ıres of the men and women, playing with them as if real men l women ; the figures of the children in the catalogue are to m live children."

"How I do wish that you might have a peep in our ading room, and Library any day after school hours, and see room crowded with their (the children's) bright faces, all ently reading. One little girl of ten has for weeks been ding there, and a few days ago I visited her home. The ents began to talk to me, asking questions, and I was prised, as they could not read, to see what they knew about glish History, so I asked the father. He said, 'You see ie spends an hour every evening reading in your room, and hts she gets her lessons, and then tells us what she has read, it's better than anything I ever heard tell. Largely all that have has come from you.' "

Seamen's Mission, New York City.

ır Madam,

I wish to acknowledge and thank you for the large box of ling matter received yesterday.

g it would interest you to know how they are
isposed of, I must tell you that I place the maga-
tables until they are soiled, or the covers torn off,
them up into a bundle and give them to the men
, who, after reading them, keep them until they
ship on our coast, when they are thrown overboard
by the light-ship keepers, who put off in a small
purpose.

n shore may do ever so much for seamen yet they
hold that light-ships and light houses are their
efactors, and with good reason too.

re, Madam, you may be assured that the magazines
ou have so kindly sent us will be appreciated by

Dr. John S. Billings

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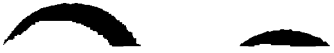

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"The Church Periodical Club"

What it is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc. are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in, entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

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Thirteenth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club

From June 1st, 1902, to June 1st, 1903.

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total reports received from 47 of the 62 Dioceses and Missionary Districts interested in the work.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week, or month	13,121
No. of Books, Theological, Secular and Juvenile	28,245
No. of Tracts	6,972
No. of Bibles, Testaments and Gospels	1,001
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without notes	3,077
No. of Catechisms	2,901
No. of Christmas, Easter and Sunday School Cards and Calendars	41,671
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols	2,446
No. of Books and Sheets of Music	1,520
No. of Games	954
No. of Pictures	14,792
No. of Odd Magazines, Illustrated Papers, etc., both Church and Secular, sent out in Packages from time to time through the year	175,876
No. of Boxes, Barrels and Packages sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not counted	824
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by freight from Central Office	354
No. of Express Packages sent from Central Office	405
No. of Mail Packages sent from Central Office	6,267
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	6,260
No. of Letters and Postals written at Central Office	9,023
No. of Librarians	772
No. of Persons Contributing	6,009
No. of Clergy Names on C. P. C. Books	1,111
No. of Laity Names on C. P. C. Books	3,349
No. of Hospitals, Reading Rooms and Libraries on C. P. C. Books	530

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donations of books, papers, cards, calendars, etc., to the following firms: Henry G. Allen & Co., Burnton & Co., R. W. Crothers & Co., E. P. Dutton

& Co., Charles P. Everitt, E. S. Gorham, New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society, The Outlook Co., James Pott, Mrs. Williams, Thomas Whittaker, and to H. K. Van Sicklen for cards printed free of charge.

Also to publishers of *The Churchman, Southern Churchman,* and *Holy Cross Magazine,* for free copies sent to the C. P. C., to the Hospital Book and Newspaper Society, and senders of Diocesan and Parochial Papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary C. P. C.

Report of Recording Secretary

The Thirteenth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club is but a recapitulation of the faithfulness and zeal of its labors, the amount of good it has accomplished and the increasing recognition of its value at home and abroad.

There is one new and most interesting feature of the work of the Los Angeles Branch during the past year, under the auspices of Mrs. Alice J. Hubbard, our Correspondent for this Branch. This is the Church Periodical Club *travelling libraries.* At present these are nine in number and consist of cases filled with books and periodicals, and are donated, in greater part, as memorials. They are sent out to miners, to beet-sugar factories and to Santa Fe oil wells. The cost of each case is five dollars ($5.00) and these are filled with new or old books, as is most convenient to the donors.

No. 5 of these cases, given by the All Saints', Pasadena Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, and mainly through the efforts of Bishop and Mrs. Johnson and Miss Wotkyns, our Librarian for All Saints', was very desirably filled. It was on exhibition at the recent Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, and also at the Diocesan Convention, where it excited much favorable comment.

The sum of $111.60 has been contributed for these travelling libraries, which estimate does not include the books donated.

There was one who passed this way not many years gone, possessing the sacred name of her who sat at the Master's feet, and like her choosing, too, that "better part" of love and devotion to His service. Her life and death work was the founding of this Association and her far-seeing spirit prophesied that "the Church

Periodical Club is an established fact, and will go on increasing in good."

How truly this prophecy has been fulfilled is seen to-day, in the many grateful acknowledgments of benefits asked and received, and in the distant boundaries to which the work has reached.

There are some true and loyal hearts gone from our side, for whose example we give thanks, and press on to make our service as high and steadfast as was theirs.

Having begun with noble souls like these, shall we not go on "from strength to strength" and find encouragement and incentive for the years to come?

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA KEY BARTOW,
Recording Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Church Periodical Club, held at the residence of Mrs. Albert Bullus, June 4th, 1903, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved: That it is with deep sorrow the Church Periodical Club records the death of our esteemed associate, Miss Anna P. Jervey, who entered upon her rest May 28th, 1903.

An earnest Christian, a woman of rare tact and winning personality, a faithful worker in the interests of the Club for a period of seven years, her place is one that we shall find difficult to fill.

In her perfection of character and beauty of spirit an influence was radiated that endeared her to all with whom she came in contact, and that hallows anew the work that identified her with us.

Of her it may be truly said, "None knew her but to love her," and to her it shall be spoken, "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Miss Jervey's family and especial friend, and that they be printed in *The Churchman* and *Southern Churchman.*

MRS. H. W. REBOUL, *President.*
MRS. J. L. CHAPIN, *General Secretary.*
MRS. ALBERT BULLUS, *Treasurer.*
MRS. J. F. BARTOW, *Recording Secretary.*

The officers and members of the Church Periodical Club desire to place on record their deep sense of personal loss in the death of Miss Elizabeth C. Miner, the valued correspondent for Wilkesbarre, Penn. And, also, of Mrs. John Duncan, a faithful librarian in Western New York.

Treasurer's

DR. CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOUNT

FROM MAY 1, 1902

To Salaries		$2,080 00	
Rent		725 82	
Office Expenses: Postage, Printing, Express, Stationery, Wages of Useful Man, Carpenter's work, etc.		813 37	
Freight and Cartage		314 00	
Ice bill—May to October		7 75	
Treasurer, for Postage and Stationery		22 75	
Dues to Bank for out-of-town cheques		3 00	
Services of Janitor of Calvary Parish House		10 00	
Advertising		24 66	
Printing Annual Reports (4,000)		118 00	
Letter File for Office		11 80	
Books purchased from Ascension Church Book Fund		52 95	
Theological, Educational, Sunday School and Children's Books, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Testaments		219 97	
Catechisms, Leaflets, Tracts		119 07	
Christmas and Easter Cards, Calendars, Games		79 10	
Subscriptions to			
The Parish Visitor	$99 40		
The Young Christian Soldier	15 50		
The Spirit of Missions	5 25		
The Church Standard	6 00		
The Church Eclectic	2 00		
The Churchman	2 00		
The Southern Churchman	8 00		
The Review of Reviews	2 50		
The Agriculturist	75		
Harper's Weekly	4 00		
McClure's	1 00		
		146 40	
Refunded for Churchman		3 00	
Mrs. Morgan's Christmas Box		1 50	
Special Student of Mrs. N. P. Geffroy		30 50	
Special Missionary, Oregon		75 00	
Travelling Library, Los Angeles		5 00	
			$4,863 64
June 1, 1903. Balance			1,971 46
			$6,835 10

MEMORANDUM OF ACCOUNT IN INSTITUTION

FROM MAY 1, 1902

To Deposited in Bank of Metropolis:		
Special Salary of one Clerk for one year	$600 00	
Interest	78 96	
		678 96
June 1, 1903. Balance		$2,256 50
		$2,935 46

Examined and found correct October 14, 1903.

WILLIAM G. DAVIES, } *Auditing Committee.*
ALEX. RICE MCKIM,

Report

WITH MRS. ALBERT BULLUS, TREASURER. ***CR.***

TO JUNE 1, 1903.

May 1, 1902. By Balance				$1,473 62
Annual Subscriptions			$ 623 65	
Donations			2,900 24	
Payment stopped for cheque lost			3 00	
Sale of Old Books, Papers, Periodicals			238 05	
Sale of Book Enigmas			6 34	
Sale of Pictures			1 85	
Refunded: for Ice			6 20	
Specially given: Express and Postage			116 18	
Advertising			20 00	
Rent of Extra Room			24 00	
Salary			50 00	
Letter File for Office			12 35	
Catechisms			2 75	
Theological, Educational, Sunday School and Children's Books, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Testaments			111 62	
Christmas and Easter Cards, Calendars, Games			87 20	
Subscriptions to				
The Parish Visitor		$77 20		
The Spirit of Missions		6 25		
The Churchman		2 00		
The Southern Churchman		8 00		
The Church Standard		6 00		
The Church Eclectic		2 00		
The Agriculturist		1 00		
The Ladies' Home Journal		1 00		
Harper's Weekly (2 years)		8 00		
			111 45	
Travelling Library, Los Angeles			5 00	
Freight on Books sent to Boone School, China			5 00	
Special Student of Mrs. N. P. Geffroy			30 50	
Special Missionary, Oregon			75 00	
				$4,430 38
Interest on Am. Exp. Stock in Founder's Endowment Fund				248 00
Interest from Knickerbocker Trust Co. (2 months)				4 14
Withdrawn from Savings Bank: Special Salary				600 00
Interest				78 96
				$6,835 10

FOR SAVINGS OF MERCHANT'S CLERKS.

TO JUNE 1, 1903.

May 1, 1902. By Balance		$1,656 50
July 1, 1902. Interest	$ 28 98	
July 10, 1902. Salary for Special Clerk for two years	1,200 00	
Jan. 1, 1903. Interest	49 98	
		1,278 96
		$2,935 46

MARY JEAN P. BULLUS, *Treasurer.*

The Treasurer of the "Founder's Endowment Fund of the Church Periodical Club" reports as follows:

31 shares of American Express Stock, yielding an annual income of	$ 248 00
Balance in American Savings Bank, November, 1902	2,618 08
From St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia	21 00
From Church of Redeemer, Bryn Mawr, Pa	25 00
	$2,664 08

It is most earnestly desired that this Fund be materially increased. The mere fact of there being such a Fund has, in some cases, proved misleading; but a glance at the insignificance of the figures will show that it is only in embryo, a mere nucleus of what is desired.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINIGKE,
Treasurer.

Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, N. Y., November, 1903.

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club, and under the care of Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to Mrs. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

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In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season on the second Monday of each month from November to April, inclusive, at the Diocesan House, 29 Lafayette Place, New York City, 2:30 P.M.

The dates of these meetings will be announced by postal.

Diocesan Correspondents

[The name and address of the Librarian of any Parish will be furnished on application to the Rector.]

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MRS. H. RANDALL WEBB
727 19th St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 12 Librarians

No. 17—North Carolina

MISS REBECCA CAMERON
Box 32, Hillsborough, N. C. 22 Librarians

No. 18—Pennsylvania

32 Librarians

No. 19—Georgia

9 Librarians

No. 20—West Michigan

No. 21—Western Texas

No. 22—Michigan

MISS DELIA WARRINER
37 E. Canfield Ave., Detroit, Mich. 15 Librarians

No. 23—New Mexico and Arizona

MRS. F. M. JOHN
903 San Antonia St., El Paso, Tex.

No. 24—Montana

No. 25—Southern Ohio

MISS ALICE BISHOP
201 High St., Springfield, O. 13 Librarians

No. 26—Texas

MRS. C. M. DESEL
Dickinson, Galveston Co., Tex.

No. 27—East Carolina

No. 28—Western Massachusetts

11 Librarians

No. 29—Newark

29 Librarians

No. 30—California

MRS. GAILLARD STONEY
69 Fair Oaks, San Francisco, Cal. — 8 Librarians

No. 31—Central Pennsylvania

MISS S. E. ASHLEY
164 S. River St., Wilkesbarre, Pa. — 21 Librarians

No. 32—Colorado

MRS. F. A. ELLIS, JR. (*pro tem.*)
1310 Race St., Denver, Col. — 13 Librarians

No. 33—Ohio

1 Librarian

No. 34—Oregon

MRS. BELLE J. SELLWOOD
753 Marshall St., Portland, Ore. — 3 Librarians

No. 35—Florida

MRS. JOHN S. ARNOLD
Jacksonville, Fla. — 8 Librarians

No. 36—Western New York

MRS. KATE B. CONOVER
180 Highland Ave., Buffalo, N. Y. — 36 Librarians

No. 37—Kansas

MRS. FRANCIS H. LEETE
St. Andrew's Rectory, Emporia, Kan. — 3 Librarians

No. 38—Indianapolis. Western Branch

MISS MARY H. MICHIE
2140 Talbot Ave., Indianapolis, Ind. — 6 Librarians

No. 39—Vermont

MISS MARY E. ARTHUR
Burlington, Vt. 12 Librarians

No. 40—Salt Lake

MRS. G. C. HUNTING
St. Mark's Hospital, Salt Lake City, Utah. 1 Librarian

No. 41—Maine

MISS H. A. ANDERSON
206 State St., Portland, Me. 8 Librarians

No. 42—Louisiana

No. 43—West Virginia

MRS. W. H. SMITH
"The Snuggery," Parkersburg, W. Va. 4 Librarians

No. 44—New Jersey

3 Librarians

No. 45—Mississippi

MISS JANE MATTHEWS FINLEY
Pass Christian, Miss. 3 Librarians

No. 46—Kentucky

13 Librarians

No. 47—Nebraska. Western Branch

MRS. A. M. PINTO
2543 California St., Omaha, Neb.

No. 48—Milwaukee. Western Branch

MRS. T. C. EGLIN
Watertown, Wis. 5 Librarians

No. 49—Southern Virginia

MISS E. H. RAVENEL
19 Commerce St., Roanoke, Va. 11 Librarians

No. 50—Olympia

1 Librarian

No. 51—Virginia

MISS M. FREEDLEY
319 West Franklin St., Richmond, Va. 11 Librarians

No. 52—Dallas

MRS. A. H. DASHIELL
Terrell, Tex. 2 Librarians

No. 53—Marquette

MISS S. D. WILLIAMS
Care of Rt. Rev. G. M. Williams, D.D., Marquette, Mich.
3 Librarians

No. 54—Alabama

MRS. STEWART MCQUEEN
96 Mobile St., Montgomery, Ala. 12 Librarians

No. 55—Southern Florida

MRS. J. H. WEDDELL
Thonotosassa, Fla. 8 Librarians

No. 56—Easton

MRS. L. P. HOLLYDAY
Hotel Avon, Easton, Md. 7 Librarians

No. 57—Iowa. Western Branch

MRS. J. READE CLARKE
Emmetsburg, Ia. 7 Librarians

No. 58—Delaware

MISS ANNE DALE GIBBS
Middletown, Del. 10 Librarians

No. 59—Missouri

MISS LOUISA B. ALLEN
4128 Delmar Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 8 Librarians

). *60—Los Angeles*

MRS. W. F. HUBBARD
1007 S. Union Ave., Los Angeles, Cal. 14 Librarians

). *61—New Hampshire*

MRS. W. W. ELKIN
7 Laurel St., Concord, N. H. 2 Librarians

). *62—Lexington*

MRS. A. E. DOISY
77 West 4th St., Covington, Ky.

). *63—North Dakota*

MISS L. M. HARDING
Bowdon, N. D.

). *64—Duluth. Western Branch*

MRS. AUGUSTUS VIELE
Lafayette Flats, Duluth, Minn. 2 Librarians

). *65—West Missouri*

1 Librarian

). *66—Asheville*

MRS. C. D. CHAPMAN
Lock Box 14, Brevard, N. C. 5 Librarians

). *67—Quincy. Western Branch*

MRS. W. M. PURCE
Cambridge, Ill. 7 Librarians

The Constitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature systematically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, a General Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the ficers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by llot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The Regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from ovember to April inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be signated by the Executive Committee.

The Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in November. ifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place onthly from October to May inclusive, at such time and place shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall conitute a quorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, ovided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular eting.

By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint Special Committees, when authorized by the Club, and call Special Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. A Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that Office.

3. The General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Club, issue notices of, and prepare a Report for all Meetings, including the Annual Report with statistics.

The General Secretary shall also have the oversight of the work done in the Central Office, and authority to appoint a substitute to fulfil such duties during her absence.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all Meetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual Report, with such assistance as she may ask for at the April Meeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees of their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the same in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, and make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall render a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Monthly Meeting, and prepare a Report for the Annual Meeting.

6. The Treasurer of the Endowment Fund shall have charge of that Fund, and invest the same, subject to the approval of the Advisory Committee. She shall report to the General and Executive Meetings.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the

Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

VI.

Order of Business.

General Meeting.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of General Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Roll Call.
6. Reading of letters by the General Secretary.
7. Unfinished Business.
8. New Business.
9. Closing Prayers or Doxology.
10. Adjournment.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VII.

Correspondents.

In every Diocese in which this work is carried on there shall be a Correspondent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Parishes in the work, and endeavor to have a Librarian appointed in each Parish:

To keep a list of Parishes and Librarians working for the Church Periodical Club:

To obtain from the Central Office all information required by the Librarians, and transmit the same to them, immediately:

To send to the Central Office an Annual Report of the work done in her Diocese.

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall be a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them contributions of literature and money:

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same:

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address:

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish:

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure," by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

Amounts Contributed

By Dioceses and Missionary Districts

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	*Cash received by Treasurer.
1—*Alabama*		
Church of the Holy Comforter, Montgomery	$7 50	$4 00
St. John's, Montgomery	3 00	1 00
St. Wilfrid's, Marion	3 78	1 50
St. Mary's, Birmingham	1 50	
Mrs. J. W. Gray, Birmingham		1 00
St. Michael and All Angels', Anniston	1 30	1 00
	$17 08	$8 50
2—*Albany*		
All Saints' Cathedral, Albany	$9 80	$7 00
St. Paul's, Albany	7 00	4 00
St. Paul's Junior Auxiliary, Albany		4 00
St. Peter's, Albany	5 25	
Correspondent, Albany		1 00
Bethesda, Saratoga	10 00	
Christ Church, Hudson	6 00	
St. Mary's, Schenectady	2 50	
Christ Church, Cooperstown	1 35	
Rev. W. H. Lord, Burnt Hills		1 00
St. John's, Troy	25 00	25 00
Miss M. M. Peck, New Lisbon		75
Other Contributions	15 00	
	$81 90	$42 75
3—*Asheville* (*Missionary District*)		
Librarian 4, Lincolnton	$4 50	
Correspondent, Brevard	2 00	
Through Correspondent, Brevard		$5 00
	$6 50	$5 00

* By particular request, the Treasurer includes in this column all sums received from May 1, 1902, to June 1, 1903.

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
4—*California*		
St. Luke's, San Francisco	$26 20	
St. James' Mission, San Francisco	1 50	
St. John's, San Francisco	6 20	
St. Mark's, Berkeley	14 10	
St. Paul's, Oakland	7 20	
Church of the Advent, East Oakland	3 75	
San Anselmo, Ross	4 50	
Church of Our Saviour, Hanford	3 70	
St. Matthew's, San Mateo	5 00	
St. John's, Stockton	7 00	
St. John's, Oakland	1 50	
Miss Thomas, San Jose	3 62	
Mrs. Maxwell, San Francisco		$6 00
	$84 27	$6 00
5—*Central New York*		
Correspondent	$5 00	$5 00
Binghamton		12
Anonymous		8 00
Other Contributions	11 90	
	$16 90	$13 12
6—*Central Pennsylvania*		
Grace, Woman's Auxiliary, Honesdale		$5 00
Harrisburgh	$2 00	
St. Agnes' Guild, Lebanon	1 00	
Librarian 20 (Miss S. Russell)	1 00	
St. Paul's, St. Margaret's Guild, Bloomsburg	5 00	
Annual Dues (The Misses Broadhead)	2 00	
St. Stephen's, Woman's Auxiliary, Wilkes Barre	5 00	
Other Contributions	11 69	
Librarian 1, Wilkes Barre		1 00
St. Stephen's, Wilkes Barre		2 00
St. James', Pittston		1 00
Trinity, Junior Auxiliary, Easton		1 00
	$27 69	$10 00
7—*Colorado*		
St. John's Cathedral, Denver	$1 25	
St. Stephen's, Denver	3 10	$3 10

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. George's, Astoria	14 00	1 00
St. George's, Brooklyn	3 15	
Incarnation, Brooklyn	20 14	
St. James', Brooklyn	10 00	1 00
St. John's, Huntington	20 65	
St. John's, Far Rockaway	18 00	
St. Joseph's, Queens	4 00	
St. Martin's, Brooklyn	12 00	
St. Matthew's, Brooklyn	12 00	3 00
St. Mark's, Brooklyn	9 70	
St. Mark's, East Brooklyn	6 76	
St. Michael's, Brooklyn	6 40	
The Messiah, Brooklyn	33 35	
St. Mary's, Dunton	5 00	
St. Paul's, Flatbush	15 25	
St. Peter's, Brooklyn	4 00	
The Redeemer, Brooklyn	48 00	
The Redeemer, Astoria	7 09	50
Good Shepherd, Brooklyn	4 75	
St. Stephen's, Brooklyn	9 00	
Holy Trinity, Brooklyn	13 00	
Trinity, East Division, Brooklyn	2 00	
St. Thomas', Brooklyn	17 70	1 00
Christ Church, Sag Harbor	3 67	
Grace, Jamaica		1 00
St. James', St. James		31 25
St. Luke's, Brooklyn		3 00
Mrs. W. B. Dall, Brooklyn		2 00
Mrs. A. Whittemore, Brooklyn		1 00
Mrs. W. A. Matson, Richmond Hill		1 00
Anonymous		25
	$412 56	$146 88

20—*Maine*

Woman's Auxiliary	$3 00	$4 00
Correspondent, Portland	3 50	
Christ Church, Norway		1 16
	$6 50	$5 16

21—*Maryland*

Church of the Ascension, Baltimore	$2 50	$1 00
St. Barnabas', Baltimore	4 76	
St. Peter's, Baltimore	1 00	1 00

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. John's, Western Run	1 50	
St. Thomas', Hancock		1 00
Mrs. Percy Procter, Oakland		5 00
Mrs. Findlay, Hagerstown		50
	$9 76	$8 50

2—*Massachusetts*

Through Correspondent			$385 27
Librarian	1.	St. Thomas', Taunton	$1 00
"	3.	St. John's, Charleston	1 00
"	4.	Church of Our Saviour, Longwood	1 00
"	6.	Church of the Epiphany, Winchester	1 00
"	8.	Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston	3 20
"	12.	St. John's Memorial, Cambridge	7 00
			1 00
"	13.	Grace, New Bedford	5 00
"	16.	All Saints', Dorchester	2 00
"	19.	St. Paul's, Boston	68 00
"	23.	St. Paul's, Brookline	5 00
"	24.	St. Stephen's, Lynn	4 29
"	26.	St. Chrysostom's, Wollaston	50
"	26.	St. Chrysostom's, Young Girls' Guild, Wollaston	3 00
"	27.	Emmanuel, Boston	34 35
"	31.	St. Mary's, Newton Lower Falls	1 00
"	33.	St. John's, Jamaica Plain	7 00
"	34.	Emmanuel, West Roxbury	1 00
"	35.	Trinity, Boston	147 49
"	36.	Wellesley	1 00
"	37.	St. Paul's, Dedham	5 00
"	39.	Trinity, Haverhill	1 00
"	41.	Church of the Redeemer, Chestnut Hill	1 00
"	42.	Christ Church, Hyde Park	2 00
"	46.	St. John's, Arlington	2 00
"	47.	Church of the Messiah, Boston	3 00
The Diocese			44 00
"A Friend," Athol			5 00

		Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash receive by Treasure
Anonymous, Boston			4 5
		$348 33	$399 2

23—*Michigan*

Woman's Auxiliary, Annual Pledge (for two years)				$50 0
Librarian	1.	St. John's, Detroit	$18 22	
"	2.	Christ Church, Detroit	5 00	
"	3.	St. James', Detroit	4 40	
"	4.	Church of the Messiah, Detroit	2 00	
"	6.	St. Luke's, Ypsilanti	1 00	
"	7.	Grace, Detroit	2 00	
"	8.	St. Paul's, Detroit	3 00	
"	9.	St. Paul's, Jackson	1 77	
"	10.	Trinity, Bay City	2 00	
"	11.	St. Andrew's, Ann Arbor ...	1 00	
"	12.	St. Paul's, Flint	9 60	
"	13.	St. Andrew's, Detroit	1 00	
"	14.	St. Joseph's, Detroit	4 00	
		St. Peter's, Detroit	50	
		St. Matthew's, Detroit	1 00	
		Grosse Ile Branch, Detroit..	1 00	
		Christ Church, Owosso	50	
		St. Mary's, Detroit	1 00	
Librarian	15.	St. James', Birmingham ...	25	
		Grace Church, Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	25	
		Church of the Messiah, Junior Auxiliary, Detroit...	75	
		Church of the Epiphany, Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	1 50	
		Mrs. Warne Wilson, Trinity, Detroit	1 00	
		Mrs. R. E. Fraser, St. Paul's, Detroit	1 00	
		Miss Gilbert, St. Paul's, Detroit	1 00	
		Mrs. J. H. Wortley, St. Luke's, Ypsilanti	1 00	
		Mrs. R. J. Corey, St. John's, Detroit	1 00	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Librarian 15. Miss Chandler, St. John's, Detroit	2 00	
———, St. John's, Detroit	3 50	
	$72 24	$50 00
—*Minnesota*		
Rev. Wm. Wilkinson, Minneapolis		$3 50
—*Mississippi*		
Correspondent	$2 50	$1 00
—*Missouri*		
Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, St. Louis	$10 00	
St. Peter's, St. Louis	10 00	
Cathedral, St. Louis	5 00	
Church of the Holy Communion, St. Louis.	1 00	
St. John's, St. Louis	50	
St. Augustine's, St. Louis	25	
"A Friend,"	50	
Mrs. H. N. Davis, St. Louis		$5 00
Correspondent, St. Louis		2 00
Grace, Kirkwood	2 00	
Emmanuel, Old Orchard	5 25	
	$34 50	$7 00
—*Milwaukee* (*Western Branch*)		
Correspondent, Watertown, Wis.	$9 25	
—*Newark*		
Through Correspondent		$18 50
Librarian 2. Grace Church, Orange	$24 16	1 00
" 4. St. James', Upper Montclair.	10 74	
" 5. Church of the Holy Communion, South Orange	39 50	31 50
" 6. Trinity, Newark	5 00	
" 8. Christ Church, Bloomfield	4 00	
" 12. St. Luke's, Montclair	6 61	
" 14. St. John's, Jersey City	5 00	
" 19. St. Paul's, Hoboken	1 06	
" 25. Christ Church, East Orange.	5 00	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Librarian 26. St. Andrew's, South Orange.	4 00	
" 39. St. John's Mission, Montclair	25	
" 40. House of Prayer, Newark	2 00	
" 41. St. John's, Passaic	6 50	
Grace, Madison	2 00	
Grace, Junior Auxiliary, Madison		3 50
Calvary, Summit	4 00	
St. Peter's, Morristown	2 00	
St. Mary's Guild, Jersey City	1 00	
Babies' Branch	3 00	
Mrs. Starkey	3 00	
Mrs. Browning	1 00	
"A Friend"	4 00	
Mrs. R. H. Beach, East Orange		3 00
E. Townsend, East Orange		2 00
Miss M. E. Thomas, Englewood		5 00
Miss M. G. Tilney, Orange		6 00
	$133 82	$70 50
29—*New Hampshire*		
Rev. W. P. Ladd, Berlin		$10 00
Anonymous		5 00
		$15 00
30—*New Jersey*		
St. John's, Woman's Auxiliary, Sewaren		$1 00
St. Peter's, Freehold		1 00
Holy Cross, North Plainfield	$1 00	
	$1 00	$2 00
31—*New York*		
All Angels'	$25 00	$2 25
All Souls'	2 75	2 75
Church of the Archangel	18 00	1 00
Church of the Ascension	23 70	18 50
Calvary	37 00	40 50
Christ Church	63 75	64 50
Church of the Epiphany	12 97	13 00
Grace	690 29	665 29
Heavenly Rest	60 38	68 75
Heavenly Rest, a Collection (1902)		10 96
Heavenly Rest, a Collection (1903)		12 38

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Holy Apostles'		10 00
Church of the Holy Communion	55 00	51 35
Church of the Incarnation	87 00	115 25
Church of the Intercession	2 40	34 27
Church of the Redeemer	10 00	50
St. Andrew's	63 00	64 00
St. Ann's	6 59	5 00
St. Barnabas', the Clothing Bureau		7 00
St. Bartholomew's	97 00	63 00
St. George's	142 00	99 37
St. George's Missionary Society		25 00
St. James'	140 00	208 60
St. John the Evangelist		1 00
St. Luke's	40 00	111 00
St. Mark's	36 00	37 05
St. Mary's (Motthaven)	3 00	
St. Mary's (Manhattanville)	60	
St. Matthew's	18 68	16 00
St. Matthew's, a Collection		12 60
St. Michael's	21 70	10 85
St. Peter's Missionary Society		11 50
St. Stephen's		1 50
St. Thomas'	495 00	94 50
St. Thomas', a Collection		410 56
St. Thomas', Woman's Auxiliary		25 00
St. Thomas' Missionary Guild		1 00
Transfiguration	59 50	115 95
Trinity Parish, Trinity Church		7 00
Trinity, Woman's Auxiliary		5 00
Trinity Chapel	45 00	37 20
Trinity Chapel Missionary Relief Ass'n.		15 00
St. Agnes' Chapel	36 41	60 41
(In Memoriam), St. Agnes' Chapel, Daughters of the King		5 10
St. Chrysostom's Chapel		1 00
St. John's Chapel		10 00
Zion and St. Timothy	108 00	92 75
Church of the Ascension, Mt. Vernon	15 00	11 50
Church of the Ascension, Staten Island		75
St. John's, Kingston	7 50	1 00
St. James', Goshen	2 00	4 00
Mrs. W. D. Young, Cold-Spring-on-the-Hudson		2 00

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. Andrew's, Yonkers	19 28	12 50
St. John's, Woman's Auxiliary, Yonkers		25 00
St. Paul's, Yonkers		50
Trinity, Ossining	1 00	2 00
St. Luke's, Matteawan	10 00	8 35
St. Andrew's, Fishkill-on-Hudson	15 63	1 00
St. Barnabas', Irvington	15 00	15 00
Christ Church, Rye		3 00
St. James', Fordham	3 00	5 00
St. Peter's, Woman's Auxiliary, Westchester		5 00
Christ Church, Staten Island		1 05
Christ Church, Junior Auxiliary, Staten Island		35
Missionary Exhibit, New York		1 46
Collection, C. P. C. General Meeting		2 24
St. Augustine's League, Woman's Auxiliary		3 25
Domestic Committee, Woman's Auxiliary		2 35
Miss F. M. White		10 00
Mrs. Wilson Peterson		20 00
Mrs. Eastburn Benjamin		10 00
M. W. D.		1 00
Miss Keyser		50
Mrs. M. R. Schroonmaker		1 00
Mrs. H. B. Barnes		1 00
Mrs. Robert T. Woodward		6 00
Mrs. H. T. Perry		1 00
Mrs. Benjamin Brewster		5 00
Mrs. P. J. L. Searing		5 00
Mrs. Hiller		1 00
Mrs. Williams		1 00
Miss G. Schuyler		1 00
Miss E. A. Cushman		5 00
Miss G. R. Cushman		5 00
Mrs. George W. Smith		5 00
Miss G. How		2 00
Mrs. Fuge		15 00
Anonymous		10 53
	$2,489 13	$2,878 52

32—*North Carolina*

Through Correspondent		$42 25
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro'	$5 25	
St. Andrew's, Greensboro'	4 03	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. Barnabas', Greensboro'	2 00	
St. Philip's, Durham	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Oxford	1 50	
St. Paul's, Louisburg	9 00	
Holy Innocents', Henderson	1 24	
St. Mary's School, Raleigh	3 40	
Calvary, Wadesboro'	5 00	
Trinity, Scotland Neck	3 85	
St. Luke's, Salisbury	1 00	
Chapel of the Cross, Littleton	2 02	
Trinity, Wo. Aux., Scotland Neck		60
St. Paul's School, Beaufort		4 00
Mrs. Charles Price, Salisbury		1 00
Miss L. G. Capehart, Littleton		2 00
"A Friend," Winston-Salem		1 00
	$39 29	$50 85
33—*North Dakota (Missionary District)*		
Grace, Jamestown	$10 00	$10 00
Correspondent, Bowdon		1 00
Grand Forks	1 25	
Fargo	58	
	$11 83	$11 00
34—*Ohio*		
Mrs. Whittemore, Cleveland		$1 00
35—*Olympia (Missionary District)*		
Correspondent	$4 00	
Postage, Tacoma, Washington		$ 06
	$4 00	$ 06
36—*Oregon*		
Trinity, Wo. Aux., Portland	$2 50	$5 00
37—*Pennsylvania*		
Woman's Auxiliary, Pennsylvania Branch		$2 40
Grace, Philadelphia		2 00
Christ Chapel, Philadelphia		1 00
St. Matthias's, Philadelphia		2 00
St. Mark's, Philadelphia		6 00

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. James', Philadelphia		5 00
St. Andrew's, Philadelphia		5 00
Calvary, Germantown		5 00
St. Clement's, Germantown		1 00
St. Peter's, Germantown		2 00
Grace, Mt. Airy		5 00
St. Mary's, Ardmore		3 00
Calvary, Conshohocken		1 00
St. James', Downingtown		1 70
Miss L. H. Pancoast, Philadelphia		15 00
"A Friend," Chestnut Hill		10 00
Miss Hathaway, Chester		1 00
Pittston		1 00
		$69 10
38—*Pittsburg*		
Through Correspondent		$30 50
Grace, Miles Grove	$1 00	
St. Thomas', Oakmont	1 00	
St. Matthew's, Homestead	1 00	
Christ Church, Greensburg	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Sewickley	1 00	
Christ Church, Meadville	1 00	
The Epiphany, Bellevue	1 00	
St. John's, Franklin	1 00	
Calvary, Pittsburg	2 50	
St. Andrew's, Pittsburg	1 00	
St. Mary's Memorial, Pittsburg	1 00	
Trinity, Pittsburg	1 00	
St. Peter's, Pittsburg	1 00	
Christ Church, Alleghany	1 00	
Emmanuel, Alleghany	1 00	
St. Paul's, Erie	2 00	
St. Peter's, Uniontown	1 00	
Trinity, Washington, Pa.	1 00	
Christ Church, South Oil City	1 00	
	$21 50	$30 50
39—*Rhode Island*		
Through Correspondent		$15 00
Woman's Auxiliary	$10 00	
St. John's, Providence	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Providence	14 00	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. James', Providence	25	
Grace, Providence	9 95	
Christ Church, Providence	10 69	
All Saints', Providence	7 25	
The Epiphany, Providence	1 25	
St. Andrew's, Providence	2 25	
St. James', Woonsocket	1 14	
Trinity, Pawtucket	50	
Christ Church, Lonsdale	3 00	
St. Luke's, East Greenwich	2 00	
The Ascension, Wakefield	2 00	
Other Contributions	1 29	
	$66 57	$15 00
0—*South Carolina*		
The Bishop, Columbia		$1 00
Through Correspondent		19 04
St. Michael's, Charleston	$5 00	2 00
St. Philip's, Charleston	1 15	
Holy Communion, Charleston	6 00	
St. John's, Florence		1 00
	$12 15	$23 04
1—*Southern Florida (Missionary District)*		
Through Correspondent	$3 49	
Grace, Merritt	1 00	$1 00
St. Luke's, Orlando	1 30	
The Good Shepherd, Maitland	25	
All Saints', Enterprise		1 00
Christ Church, Immokalee		50
	$6 04	$2 50
2—*Southern Ohio*		
Through Correspondent	$33 43	
3—*Southern Virginia*		
Woman's Auxiliary	$5 00	$5 00
Mrs. J. H. Chapman, Damascus		1 00
	$5 00	$6 00
4—*Spokane (Missionary District)*		
The Good Samaritan, Colfax, Washington		$1 00

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
45—*Tennessee*		
Fairmount School, Monteagle	1 00	$1 00
Mission Church, Brighton		3 00
Mrs. Telfair Hodgson, Sewanee		2 00
	$1 00	$6 00
46—*Texas*		
Through Correspondent	$15 53	$2 00
Christ Church, Houston		10 00
	$15 53	$12 00
47—*Vermont*		
Mrs. M. C. Whittemore and Miss S. K. Whittemore, Sheldon Springs		$1 00
48—*Virginia*		
Through Correspondent	$18 11	$8 00
Mrs. B. B. Brockenburgh, Rappahannock		1 00
Miss Kennedy, White Post		1 00
	$18 11	$10 00
49—*Washington, D. C.*		
Through Correspondent		$5 00
St. Paul's, Washington	$1 50	
St. John's, Washington	3 91	
The Ascension, Washington	2 00	
The Epiphany, Washington	4 50	
St. Thomas', Washington	2 20	
St. Stephen's, Washington	2 00	
St. James', Washington	15 00	
St. John's, Georgetown	80	
Trinity, Georgetown	3 00	
Miss M. E. Boynton, Washington		7 26
	$34 91	$12 26
50—*Western Massachusetts*		
Christ Church, Springfield	$4 00	$1 00
St. James', Greenfield	4 50	
St. John's, North Adams	3 25	1 00
St. John's, Northampton		1 00
St. John's, Worcester	4 47	
All Saints', Worcester	5 31	
St. Paul's, Stockbridge		10 00

	Receipts reported through Correspondence.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Christ Church, Fitchburg	5 78	
Miss Linton, Pittsfield		50
	$27 31	$13 50
—*West Missouri*		
Postage, Brookfield		$ 10
—*Western New York*		
Through Correspondent	$38 99	$10 75
Postage, Buffalo		50
The Epiphany, North Towanda		1 20
	$38 99	$12 45
3—*West Virginia*		
Through Correspondent, St. Matthew's, Wheeling	$20 00	$20 00
Trinity, Parkersburg	32 00	
C. P. C. Social Chapter, Parkersburg		26 63
St. Bartholomew's, Leetown		25
St. Mark's, St. Albans		1 00
Gertrude Siebert, Leetown		1 00
	$52 00	$48 88
4—*Chicago (Western Branch)*		
Annual Pledge, through Treasurer		$5 00
Rev. Arthur Wynne Shaw		1 00
		$6 00
Greece		
Miss Bessie Masson, Postage, Athens		$ 25

Extracts from Interesting Letters

The following extracts are taken from the numerous letters of "grateful acknowledgment" received at the General Office:

The California Correspondent writes:

"We are now supplying the chaplains and a number of surgeons and officers in the Philippines with sacks of magazines sent from time to time on the transports free of charge. One chaplain wrote that a sack was delivered to him, just as he was embarking for home and that it could not have reached him at a more acceptable time, inasmuch as the troops on board were sadly in need of reading matter. A surgeon writes that the magazines and papers we send are a great help to the sick and homesick men. We have also been supplying the detention—or discharge—camp at Angel Island with games and reading matter which are very acceptable to the men there, as they have absolutely nothing to do but await their discharge.

"We are also sending sacks of magazines to the Seamen's Institute in Honolulu, and arrangements have just been completed whereby we can send as many sacks as we want to, free of charge."

One of the California Librarians writes:

"The letters of appreciation and the many proofs that the C. P. C. is entitled to be considered one of the missionary agencies of the Church cannot be included in a brief report. I am sure all of you, both the Auxiliary and outside friends, who have so generously aided the Librarian, feel that you have been doing the Master's work."

A clergyman in the West writes:

"I wish to thank the C. P. C. for the great help they have been to me in my missionary work, both here and in the South. Many

hundreds of magazines, papers and tracts have I given to the North Carolina plough boy and the lad and lass of the Butte miner. Oftentimes when I would be going down the streets with my arms full of papers and magazines boys would say, 'Minister, give me a book?'

"I have given some to Roman Catholic children and have every reason to believe they read and enjoyed them, as they would come for other papers.

"I pray God's blessing upon the Church Periodical Club."

A clergyman in Montana writes:

"The eight copies of *Young Christian Soldier* reach me regularly, and we thoroughly appreciate them. I have work in three counties very scattered. As I take monthly trips to the mining camps and visit the scattered families on the ranches between these camps, it is very useful to have good reading matter to take along with me. It is impossible to get all the papers, books and pictures, etc., that we could make use of in some of these Western Missions. It is silent missionary work of the most effective kind, and we find results from such scattered literature that is scarcely dreamt of in Eastern Church circles. Very sincere thanks."

A clergyman in Louisiana writes:

"*Dear Friend*—For after all of your kindness to me and my work here, I feel you certainly have a right to be called such, by me, at least.

"I do wish you could all know the amount of happiness that your thoughtfulness of our work here has brought to the little circle of boys and their friends who get the books and papers that have been sent out in times past. *Life* and the *Wide World Magazine* are prime favorites with them, while the *Outlook* and *The Living Church* sent me by unknown, but no less helpful, friends have been greatly appreciated by me.

"One of our young men had the misfortune, while 'switching a car,' to fall and get a compound fracture of the right leg, and is now in the hospital for some weeks to come. Poor fellow, he has had a hard time.

"Last week I took him a bundle of *Life* and to-day a lot of copies of the *Outlook*. He seemed so glad to see me, and not he

only, but the faces of others around him lighted up as they saw the large bundle of papers I had, and they told me that others from outside the ward had been in and asked for them, and that now they were going the rounds of the hospital. So you see what good your thoughtfulness has enabled me to do. How much cheer to bring into the lives of the afflicted. Best wishes and thanks for past kindnesses."

A clergyman in Utah writes:

"I have another request to make of you. In the Providence of God I am now in the largest mining camp in the State of Utah, where there are hundreds of young men with no place to spend an hour except drinking saloons. I want to open a Reading Room as I did in Wyoming, to save them from innumerable temptations. My residence here has been a little over a month, but I have buried three young men in that time. The first was a Cornishman, brought to the grave by strong drink. The second a Welshman, who died of exposure, rather than mingle with the crowd in saloons. The third an Englishman, killed by gas in a mine. These funerals of young men, all brought up in the English Church, brought together hundreds of people who can be reached by social means and brought into the Church. It is pitiful to think that these hundreds of young men have no warm rooms to sit in of an evening, and no magazines or papers to read if they had. The saloons are open, it is true, but in less than ten minutes they are made to understand they are not wanted there, unless they drink and set up for others. By means of a Reading Room I have saved hundreds of them, yes! and 'bread cast upon the waters came back.' At Green River, Wyoming, my salary was $200 in arrears, and becoming known the young men here went to work and raised every dollar of it among railroad men, merchants and others. Please, then, bear me in mind and send what you can to aid me in rescuing the perishing and lifting up the fallen.

"Any reading matter, even comic papers, will answer. I can raise the rent of a room here and heat and light it."

A Deaconess in Honolulu, T. H., writing of the young Chinese men who attend the night school, says:

"They are nearly all heathen men and in one instance a man

was brought to love the Lord by having one of the C. P. C. books loaned him to read at home. The book was 'From the Crib to the Cross.' Lok Te See, who had been in the school only a few weeks, always sneered silently, but perceptibly, whenever there were any of the Lord's miracles in the lesson. I had begun to fear that his example would be fatal to the other heathen men's receiving the Gospel. One night I offered him a book to take home to read, and he is so anxious to learn English he gladly accepted it. A few nights afterwards he came to the school very early. I asked him if he was enjoying the book, and I saw by his hesitation to talk that he had something on his mind, which he did not wish to speak of before my assistant, so I went into our little class room, where he anxiously questioned, in a whisper, 'Did they *kill* Him?' I cannot tell you how much of reverence and love was expressed in that anxious whisper, nor can I paint his sad face when I told him the awful truth of our Lord's sufferings. While I was talking other men came into the room and they all listened reverently and tearfully to the Story of those last days. Not a word was spoken, not an eye uplifted except to ask some explanation of terms they did not understand, and every eye was filled with tears because 'Jesus the Lord was crucified.' And these are all heathen men, but one! I felt that I had been conducting a Good Friday Service, and I cannot tell you how glad I am that the Holy Spirit has made See write in a recent exercise: 'I used to think the Christian religion was good enough for white men, but not for Chinese; now I know that it will make me a better man. I also confess myself to have done many things not nice to Jesus, I am sorry, and I know now that He is the true God and that the Bible will show me many things how I may be good.'"

MARY ANN DRAKE FARGO
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What it is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in, entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

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From June 1st, 1903, to June 1st, 1904.

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total reports received from 52 of the 63 Dioceses and Missionary Districts interested in the work.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week, or month by Diocesan Branches	14,071
No. of Current Periodicals sent regularly each month from the Central Office	1,050
No. of Theological Books	4,875
No. of Secular Books	15,002
No. of Juvenile Books	3,434
No. of Bibles, Testaments and Gospels	1,113
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without music	2,065
No. of Catechisms	1,195
No. of Tracts	2,065
No. of Christmas Cards	20,091
No. of Easter Cards	20,235
No. of Sunday School Cards	15,455
No. of Calendars	8,591
No. of Easter and Christmas Carols	9,206
No. of Books and Sheets of Music	2,165
No. of Games	1,194
No. of Pictures	15,807
No. of Odd Magazines, Illustrated Papers, etc., both Church and Secular	222,172
No. of Boxes, Barrels and Packages sent by Diocesan Branches, contents not counted	775
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by freight by Central Office	373
No. of Packages and Boxes sent by Express from Central Office	415
No. of Mail Packages sent from Central Office	3,403
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	5,224
No. of Letters and Postals written at Central Office	6,807
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Clergy	1,270
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Laity	3,453
No. of Hospitals, Reading Rooms and Libraries on C. P. C. Books	625

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donations of books, papers, cards and calendars, etc., to the following firms: Messrs. Henry G. Allen & Co., Burnton & Co., R. W. Crothers &

., E. P. Dutton & Co., Chas. P. Everitt, E. S. Gorham, James tt, Thomas Whittaker, and to Mrs. Williams.

To the Kaufmann & Strauss Co., The Metropolitan Magazine ., The Outlook Co., The New York Bible and Common Prayer ok Society and The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society.

Also to publishers of The Churchman, The Southern Churchan and Holy Cross Magazine for free copies sent to the C. P. C., d to senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

Report of the Recording Secretary

It is recorded, as a matter of great moment, in the minutes of the Annual Meeting of ten years ago, that a library had been founded in Virginia, through the books given by this Club, and that the library thus formed had been given the name of "The Fargo Library."

There were present at this meeting several clergymen, together with the Bishop of New York, and this circumstance of the new library reported seemed to arouse considerable interest. In the Bishop's address on this occasion, he referred to it, laying great emphasis upon *both syllables* of the name, and expressing the hope that the work of the Church Periodical Club would always live up to their meaning. This prophetic name of the founder *has* fulfilled itself. It *has*—gone *far*—indeed!

Besides our own United States, the Club sends its gifts to Canada, Mexico, Brazil, West Indies, Philippine Islands, Hawaiian Islands, Persia, China, Japan, England, Germany and Greece.

We have on our lists 4,723 recipients of literature among the clergy and laity, while 625 hospitals and reading rooms are supplied with reading matter.

The "Travelling Memorial Libraries," entered upon last year in the Diocese of Los Angeles, have been extended to other states, and promise to become a practical and permanent good.

Since that day in 1894 we have aided in the establishment of many other libraries, and helped to illumine the dark and inaccessible places of the earth with good words and thoughts.

Could but the Club be permanently housed in commodious

quarters, such as Carnegie provides for circulating libraries, we would be greatly helped in our future work, and relieved from many hindrances of the present.

The extensive correspondence, together with the unusual amount of recording necessary to the work of the Club entail considerable labor, while the accumulation of books, periodicals, etc., even though in transit, requires much space.

One room is inadequate accommodation for the work of the Central Office, in which four clerks are engaged besides volunteer workers.

The work increases—no appeals are disregarded, while the contributions of literature keep pace with them, as also the gratitude and appreciation of the recipients.

If *growth* is encouragement, we possess it in a marked degree, and believe it to be a warrant for renewed effort and faithfulness along these lines.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA KEY BARTOW,

Recording Secretary,

C. P. C.

Treasurer's

DR. **CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOUNT**

JUNE 1, 1903

To Salaries	$1,875 00	
Rent	670 00	
Office Expenses: Printing, postage, wages, etc.	777 00	
Freight and cartage	354 37	
Treasurer: Stationery, receipt books, postage, dues on out-of-town cheques	31 10	
Fees at Diocesan House	5 00	
Ice bill: June to October	7 65	
Printing Annual Reports (6,000)	170 00	
Appeals and other notices	26 36	
Books from Ascension Church Book Fund	5 24	
Books: Theological, Educational and Sunday School	164 99	
Catechisms, Leaflets, Tracts, etc.	144 25	
Christmas and Easter Cards, Calendars, games, etc.	20 25	
Subscriptions to magazines and papers	106 95	
Donation toward musical box for North Brother Island	5 00	
Commissions, Metropolitan Trust Co., for nine years	17 98	
Donation for Rev. Mr. Neve, Virginia	5 00	
Bookcase for Travelling Library, in memory of Miss Miner.	6 35	
Plate for bookcase for Travelling Library in memory of Miss Anna P. Jervey	5 96	
		$4,398 45
Salary for Special Clerk from June, 1903, to November, 1904, with interest to July 1, 1903, disbursed according to wishes of the donor		$ 885 64
June 1, 1904. Balance		2,074 42
		$7,358 51

MEMORANDUM OF ACCOUNT IN INSTITUTION

JUNE 1, 1903

Salary Special Clerk from November, 1903, to November, 1904, with interest to July, 1903	$610 50	
Interest on other sums in bank	57 96	
Salary for Extra Clerk for one month	25 00	
		$ 693 46
June 1, 1904. Balance		1,631 50
		$2,324 96

Examined and found correct October 15, 1904.

WILLIAM G. DAVIES,
ALEX. RICE MCKIM, *Auditing Committee.*

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:e forwarded		$1,971 46
	$ 737 46	
	2,529 90	
·iodicals and papers	195 28	
	6 25	
book closet	3 54	
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	6 12	
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onal and Sunday School books	164 46	
:er Cards	16 30	
:iodicals and papers	86 95	
Mr. Neve, Virginia	5 00	
lling Library, in memory of Miss Miner	6 35	
for Travelling Library	2 25	
for Travelling Library, in memory of Miss 'ervey	15 00	
1904	6 36	
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ın Express Stock in Endowment Fund		248 00
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erk for one month	25 00	
		693 46
		$7,358 51

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ınce		$2,256 50
y of Special Clerk to July 1, 1903	$10 50	
sums in bank	57 96	
		68 46
		$2,324 96

MARY JEAN P. BULLUS, *Treasurer.*

The Treasurer of the "Founder's Endowment Fund of the Church Periodical Club" reports as follows:

31 shares of American Express Stock, yielding an annual income of	$ 248 00
Balance in American Savings Bank, November, 1903	2,664 08
From Church of Redeemer, Bryn Mawr, Pa	25 00
A Friend	1 00
	$2,690 08

It is exceedingly regretted that this Fund does not increase more rapidly. It is earnestly desired that the sum of $10,000 might be reached, the interest of which would cover the rent, a severe drain on the Treasury, the funds of which are so necessary to meet the increasing demands of the work.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINIGKE,

Treasurer.

Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, N. Y., November, 1904.

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The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club, and under the care of Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to Mrs. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

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Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if pape ceived. Should card sent with the first number and th every six months not be responded to within a reasonal another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the P brarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, w mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season o Monday of each month from November to April, incl Diocesan House, 29 Lafayette Place, New York City,

The dates of these meetings will be announced by

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No. 14—

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No. 53—Marquette
MISS S. D. WILLIAMS
605 So. Thayer St., Ann Arbor, Mich. 3 Librarians

No. 54—Alabama
MRS. STEWART MCQUEEN
96 Mobile St., Montgomery, Ala. 13 Librarians

No. 55—Southern Florida
MRS. J. H. WEDDELL
Thonotosassa, Fla. 8 Librarians

No. 56—Easton
MRS. L. P. HOLLYDAY
Hotel Avon, Easton, Md. 11 Librarians

No. 57—Iowa. Western Branch
MRS. J. READE CLARKE
Emmetsburg, Ia. 7 Librarians

No. 58—Delaware
MISS ANNE DALE GIBBS
Middletown, Del. 7 Librarians

No. 59—Missouri
MISS LOUISA B. ALLEN
5093 Ridge Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 11 Librarians

No. 60—Los Angeles
MRS. W. F. HUBBARD
1007 S. Union Ave., Los Angeles, Cal. 14 Librarians

No. 61—New Hampshire
MRS. W. W. ELKIN
7 Laurel St., Concord, N. H. 2 Librarians

No. 62—Lexington
MRS. A. E. DOISY
77 West 4th St., Covington, Ky.

No. 63—North Dakota
MISS L. M. HARDING
Bowdoin, N. D.

No. 64—Duluth. Western Branch
MRS. AUGUSTUS VIELE
Lafayette Flats, Duluth, Minn. 2 Librarians

No. 65—West Missouri
1 Librarian

No. 66—Asheville
MRS. C. D. CHAPMAN
Lock Box 14, Brevard, N. C. 5 Librarians

No. 67—Quincy. Western Branch
MRS. W. M. PURCE
Cambridge, Ill. 7 Librarians

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By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint Special Committees, when authorized by the Club, and call Special Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. A Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that Office.

3. The General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Club, issue notices of, and prepare a Report for all Meetings, including the Annual Report with statistics.

The General Secretary shall also have the oversight of the work done in the Central Office, and authority to appoint a substitute to fulfil such duties during her absence.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all Meetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual Report, with such assistance as she may ask for at the April Meeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees of their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the same in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, and make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall render a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Monthly Meeting, and prepare a Report for the Annual Meeting.

6. The Treasurer of the Endowment Fund shall have charge of that Fund, and invest the same, subject to the approval of the Advisory Committee. She shall report to the General and Executive Meetings.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

VI.

Order of Business.

General Meeting.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of General Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Roll Call.
6. Reading of letters by the General Secretary.
7. Unfinished Business.
8. New Business.
9. Closing Prayers or Doxology.
10. Adjournment.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VII.

Correspondents.

In every Diocese in which this work is carried on there shall be a Correspondent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Parishes in the work, and endeavor to have a Librarian appointed in each Parish:

To keep a list of Parishes and Librarians working for the Church Periodical Club:

To obtain from the Central Office all information required by the Librarians, and transmit the same to them, immediately:

To send to the Central Office an Annual Report of the work done in her Diocese.

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall be a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them contributions of literature and money:

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same:

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address:

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish:

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure," by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

Amounts Contributed

By Dioceses and Missionary Districts

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
1—*Alabama*		
St. John's, Montgomery	$2 50	
Church of the Holy Comforter, Montgomery	11 00	
St. Mary's, Birmingham	2 15	
St. Wilfred's, Marion	2 50	
St. Michael and All Angels', Anniston	80	
Miss M. R. Clark, Demopolis	50	
Through Correspondent		$9 50
	$19 45	$9 50
2—*Alaska (Missionary District)*		
Miss H. S. Mason, Tanana		$10 00
Refunded for book, Circle		65
		$10 65
3—*Albany*		
St. Paul's, Troy	$ 5 00	$ 5 00
St. John's, Troy	25 00	25 00
St. Mark's, Junior Auxiliary, Glen Island	2 00	4 00
Christ Church, Cooperstown	2 60	
In Memoriam, from St. Peter's, Albany		3 00
Bethesda, Saratoga		50
Expenses Correspondent, Postage, etc.	4 05	
	$38 65	$37 50
4—*Asheville (Missionary District)*		
Holy Cross, Tryon	$1 00	
St. Philip's, Brevard	2 00	
St. Luke's, Lincolnton	3 00	
Miss Anna M. Chisholm, Asheville		$1 00
Through Correspondent		6 00
	$6 00	$7 00
5—*Boise (Missionary District)*		
Mr. W. D. Crocker, Shoshone		$2 25
6—*California*		
St. Paul's, San Francisco	$ 4 00	

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St. John's, San Francisco	10 00	
St. Luke's, San Francisco	48 75	
St. James' Mission, San Francisco	1 50	
Trinity Church, San Francisco	14 10	
Mrs. Maxwell, San Francisco		$5 50
St. Matthew's, San Mateo	2 50	
Church at Reno	1 00	
St. Mark's, Berkeley	12 50	
St. Paul's, Oakland	7 20	
St. John's, Oakland	4 25	
Advent, East Oakland	3 00	
Trinity Church, San Jose	6 03	
St. John's, Stockton	7 00	
Christ Church, Alameda	3 00	
San Anselmo, Ross	3 70	
Other contributions to Correspondent	12 20	
	$140 73	$5 50
7—*Central New York*		
Grace, Utica	$10 98	
Christ Church, Oswego	3 06	$1 00
Syracuse	1 12	
Calvary, Utica	2 03	
Mrs. C. T. Olmsted, Utica		5 00
Expenses Correspondent	2 60	
	$19 79	$6 00
8—*Central Pennsylvania*		
St. Mark's, Mauch Chunk	$4 00	
St. Stephen's, Harrisburgh	7 00	
St. Paul's, Bloomsburg	12 30	
St. Luke's, Scranton	75	
St. Paul's, Lock Haven	1 32	
Trinity Church, Pottsville	5 54	
St. John's, East Mauch Chunk	2 00	
Trinity Church, West Pittston	3 45	
St. Stephen's Woman's Auxiliary, Wilkesbarre	5 00	
St. Stephen's, Wilkesbarre		$1 00
St. John's, Carlisle	2 00	
St. James' Sunday-school, Pittston		2 50
Mrs. C. A. Miner, in memoriam, Wilkesbarre		6 35
Trinity Church, Athens		5 00
Grace, Woman's Auxiliary, Honesdale		5 00
Karl Trambauer, West Pittston		75
	$43 36	$20 60

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9—*Connecticut*		
Christ Church, Greenwich	$43 40	$10 00
Pledge of Woman's Auxiliary	50 00	50 00
Other Donations through Correspondent	13 44	
Mrs. Osborn, Norwalk		1 00
Miss Acton, Postage		30
Mrs. J. M. Brush, Greenwich		1 00
Mrs. Frank S. Fay, Meriden		1 00
St. Andrew's, Meriden		7 50
St. Paul's, Riverside		1 00
	$106 84	$71 80
10—*Chicago (Western Branch)*		
	$73 56	
Annual Pledge through General Treasurer.		$5 00
	$73 56	$5 00
11—*Colorado*		
Cathedral, Denver	$0 25	$0 25
St. Mark's, Denver	3 51	2 00
St. Barnabas', Denver	5 02	50
St. Stephen's, Denver	3 00	3 00
St. John's, Boulder	98	
St. Stephen's, Colorado Springs	6 00	
St. Philip's, Sodales	60	
Through Correspondent		1 00
	$19 36	$6 75
12—*Dallas*		
St. Stephen's Woman's Auxiliary, Sherman, Texas		$2 80
13—*Delaware*		
Correspondent	$2 80	
St. Andrew's, Wilmington		$10 00
Christ Church, Dover		1 00
	$2 80	$11 00
14—*East Carolina*		
St. Mary's, Kinston		$2 00
Holy Innocents', Lenoir Co		50
St. Luke's, Waterville		50
Mrs. Smith, Winterville		4 00
		$7 00
15—*Florida*		
Rev. W. H. Carter, Tallahassee		$5 00
16—*Georgia*		
Correspondent	$5 00	

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Trinity Church, Columbus		$1 00
St. James', Marietta		1 00
Mrs. D. J. Corrison, Columbus		1 26
	$5 00	$3 26
17—*Iowa*		
Correspondent	$8 07	
Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary, Burlington		$1 00
Trinity Church, Woman's Auxiliary, Emmetsburg		1 00
Mrs. Ainsworth, Des Moines		50
	$8 07	$2 50
18—*Kansas*		
St. Peter's, Kansas City		$0 50
19—*Kentucky*		
Our Librarian	$1 25	
Christ Church, Bowling Green		$0 70
	$1 25	$0 70
20—*Lexington*		
Through Correspondent	$1 00	$1 00
21—*Long Island*		
St. Ann's, Brooklyn	$29 00	
St. Bartholomew's, Brooklyn	21 00	
Christ Church, Bay Ridge	87 00	
Christ Church, Brooklyn	11 00	
Christ Church, E. D	9 00	
Cathedral	17 60	
Christ Church, Babylon	5 84	
St. George's, Astoria	11 58	
St. George's, Flushing	38 00	
Church of the Good Shepherd, Brooklyn	7 00	
Grace, Brooklyn	27 85	$1 00
St. George's, Brooklyn	4 85	
Incarnation, Brooklyn	26 70	
St. James' Church, St. James	21 82	
St. John's, Far Rockaway	51 25	
St. John's, Huntington	23 91	1 00
St. James' Brooklyn	21 00	1 00
St. Jude's, Blythebourne	5 00	
St. Joseph's, Queens	16 16	
St. Mark's, Brooklyn	18 66	50
St. Martin's, Brooklyn	7 50	
St. Matthew's Brooklyn	4 84	
St. Mary's, Brooklyn	19 00	
St. Mary's, Dunton	3 00	

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St. Mark's, E. D.	11 02	
Church of the Messiah, Brooklyn	10 56	
St. Michael's, Brooklyn	29 64	
St. Paul's, Flatbush	26 65	
St. Peter's, Brooklyn	7 00	
Church of the Redeemer, Astoria	50 22	
Church of the Redeemer, Brooklyn	34 23	
St. Stephen's, Brooklyn	21 50	
Church of the Holy Spirit, Bath Beach	13 03	
St. Thomas', Brooklyn	15 00	
Trinity Church, E. D.	2 30	
Church of the Holy Trinity	20 08	
Christ Church, Sag Harbor	10 00	1 30
"A Friend," Huntington		1 00
Mrs. L. F. Matson, Richmond Hill		1 00
Mrs. Lawless, Westhampton		1 00
Miss Hodgson, Brooklyn		1 00
Correspondent		93 87
	$739 79	$102 67
22—*Los Angeles*		
Correspondent	$26 02	
Postage refunded, Los Angeles		$0 83
Mrs. John Mac Vine, Sunland		1 13
	$26 02	$1 96
23—*Louisiana*		
St. Peter's, Marksville		$1 50
24—*Maine*		
Correspondent	$12 26	
Woman's Auxiliary, Portland		$2 00
	$12 26	$2 00
25—*Marquette*		
Correspondent		$2 00
Trinity Church, Houghton	$1 00	
St. Paul's, Marquette	1 00	
	$2 00	$2 00
26—*Maryland*		
Mrs. Percy Proctor, Oakland		$10 00
Mrs. C. I. La Roche, Bellsville		3 00
Memorial Church, Baltimore	$1 00	1 00
St. Barnabas', Baltimore	6 15	
Librarian 16, Glyndon	1 00	
St. Peter's, Baltimore	1 00	
	$9 15	$14 00

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27—*Massachusetts*		
St. Thomas', Taunton	$1 15	
Church of Our Saviour, Longwood	11 50	
St. Mary's, Dorchester	3 92	
Christ Church, Quincy	2 50	
Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston	9 50	
Grace, Lawrence	8 00	
St. John's, Cambridge	2 00	
Grace, New Bedford	6 25	
Calvary, Danvers	65	
Trinity Church, Newton Centre	2 50	
All Saints', Dorchester	2 00	
St. James', Roxbury	1 50	
Christ Church, Andover	87	
St. Paul's, Boston	99 00	
Christ Church, Cambridge	7 78	
St. Peter's, Salem	9 00	$5 00
St. Stephen's, Lynn	12 55	
St. Chrysostom's, Wollaston	3 25	
Emmanuel, Boston	95 93	
St. Stephen's, Boston	2 50	
St. Mary's, Newton Lower Falls	6 93	
St. John's, Jamaica Plain	21 00	
Emmanuel, West Roxbury	1 00	
Trinity Church, Boston	105 02	
St. Andrew's, Wellesley	1 00	
St. Paul's, Dedham	6 78	
Church of the Holy Spirit, Mattapan	10 48	
Trinity Church, Haverhill	3 00	
Church of the Redeemer, Chestnut Hill	3 00	
Christ Church, Hyde Park	6 50	
St. Michael's, Marblehead	5 50	
Ascension, Boston	2 28	
St. John's, Arlington	20 80	
Church of the Messiah, Boston	9 00	
St. Thomas' East Somerville	18 50	
Ascension, Fall River	3 08	
Miss M. Lawrence		2 00
Mrs. J. M. Codman, Brookline		1 00
A Friend," Boston		5 00
Mrs. Wm. Osgood Pearson, West Roxbury		1 16
Miss Thayer Boston		1 00
Correspondent		250 00
	$506 22	$265 16
28—*Michigan*		
St. John's, Detroit	$14 78	
Christ Church, Detroit	5 50	

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St. Mary's Guild, St. James', Detroit	2 00	
St. Mary's, Grass Lake	2 00	$2 00
Church of the Messiah, Detroit	2 00	
St. Luke's, Ypsilanti	1 00	
Grace, Detroit	2 00	
St. Paul's, Detroit	4 00	
St. Paul's, Jackson	1 00	
Trinity Church, Bay City	1 00	
St. Andrew's, Ann Arbor	2 25	
St. Paul's, Flint	8 27	
St. Andrew's, Detroit	2 30	
St. Joseph's, Detroit	2 00	
St. James', Birmingham	50	
St. Peter's, Detroit	50	
St. Matthew's, Detroit	1 00	
Gross Ile Branch	1 00	
Christ Church, Owosso	50	
St. Mary's, Detroit	1 00	
Church of the Messiah, Juniors, Detroit	2 00	
Grace, Juniors, Detroit	75	
St. Andrew's, Juniors, Detroit	75	
Church of Epiphany, Boys, Detroit	1 50	
St. John's, Personal, Detroit	3 70	
Mrs. W. W. Wilson	1 00	
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Bad Axe		1 00
Woman's Auxiliary Pledge		25 00
Correspondent		5 00
	$64 30	$33 00
29—*Milwaukee*		
Correspondent	$10 59	
St. Paul's, Watertown, Wisconsin		$3 34
	$10 59	$3 34
30—*Minnesota*		
Rev. Wm. Wilkinson, Minneapolis		$3 40
Correspondent	$8 00	
	$8 00	$3 40
31—*Mississippi*		
Trinity Church, Pass Christian		$1 00
32—*Missouri*		
Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, St. Louis	$ 5 00	
Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis	3 00	
St. Peter's, St. Louis	14 00	
Holy Communion, St. Louis	1 00	
St. Philip's, St. Louis	1 50	
St. John's, St. Louis	1 00	

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Grace, Kirkwood	3 00	
	$28 50	
33—*Newark*		
Grace, Orange	$25 50	
Christ Church, East Orange	12 00	
Calvary, Summit	2 50	
St. John's, Passaic	5 00	
House of Prayer, Newark	2 00	
St. John's, Jersey City	5 80	
St. Luke's, Montclair	2 35	
St. Paul's, Hoboken	2 00	
Holy Communion, South Orange	36 75	$174 55
Christ Church, Belleville	5 38	
Trinity Church, Newark	1 00	
St. James', Upper Montclair	1 00	
St. Thomas', Newark	3 00	
St. Andrew's, South Orange	1 00	
St. Peter's, Morristown	7 00	
Christ Church, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge	1 25	
St. Paul's, Englewood	1 00	
Christ Church, Ridgewood		1 00
Grace, Junior Guild, Madison		1 00
Mrs. H. Browning		11 00
Correspondent		39 79
	$114 53	$227 34
34—*New Hampshire*		
St. Andrew's, Manchester		$1 00
35—*New Jersey*		
Trinity Church, Princeton		$1 00
All Saints', Navesink		1 00
St. Peter's, Freehold		1 00
St. John's, Sewaren	$0 50	
Holy Cross, Plainfield	2 00	
Christ Church, Elizabeth	1 00	1 00
Mrs. W. S. Jones, Red Bank		1 00
	$3 50	$5 00
36—*New York*		
All Angels', New York		$ 4 35
All Souls', New York	$32 00	33 75
Archangel, New York	17 22	1 00
Ascension, New York	24 00	15 00
Ascension Memorial, New York		50
Beloved Disciple, New York	1 00	1 00
Calvary, New York	54 50	69 25
Calvary, through the Rector		25 00

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash by Tr
Christ Church, New York	59 25	
Epiphany, New York	18 20	
Church of the Good Shepherd, New York.		
Grace, New York	613 00	
Grace, a Member, for Special		
Grace Chantry, New York		
Heavenly Rest, New York	68 00	
Holy Apostles', New York		
Holy Communion, New York	18 00	
Church of the Holy Trinity, New York	5 00	
Incarnation, New York	72 00	
Intercession, New York	17 00	
Church of the Redeemer, New York	5 00	
St. Andrew's, New York	65 00	
St. Ann's, Morrisania, N. Y.	2 37	
St. Bartholomew's, New York	14 36	
St. Bartholomew's, through the Rector		
St. George's, New York	130 50	
St. George's Missionary Society		
St. James', New York	168 17	
St. Luke's, New York		
St. Mark's, New York	13 00	
St. Matthew's, New York	24 85	
St. Matthew's, a Collection		
St. Michael's, New York	15 18	
St. Peter's Woman's Missionary Society		
St. Thomas', New York	575 77	
St. Thomas', a Collection		
St. Thomas' Chapel, New York		
Transfiguration, New York	20 50	
Transfiguration, through the Rector	25 00	
Trinity Parish, New York:		
Trinity Church	20 85	
Trinity Chapel	45 70	
Trinity Church Woman's Missionary Society		
St. Agnes' Chapel		
St. Agnes', St. Mary's Chapter, Daughters of the King		
St. Chrysostom's		
St. John's Chapel		
Trinity Church, Morrisania		
Zion and St. Timothy	103 00	
Protestant Episcopal Mission for Seamen		
Collection April meeting of Domestic Committee, Woman's Auxiliary		
Missionary Box, April meeting of C. P. C.		
The Clothing Bureau, St. Barnabas', New		

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York		9 00
Mrs. Elwin, New York		40
Mrs. C. Ayers, New York		2 00
Mrs. W. Peterson, New York		10 00
Miss E. D. Taylor, New York		3 00
Miss Jones, New York		5 00
Mrs. Douglass, New York		5 00
Mrs. R. T. Woodward, New York		1 00
Mrs. W. B. Cutting, New York		1 00
Mrs. Clement Cleveland, New York		1 00
Mrs. Otto Von Arnim, New York		1 75
Miss M. O. Rhinelander, New York		2 00
Miss H. Nutley, New York		75
Mrs. C. B. Meyer, New York		1 00
Miss Webb, New York		1 00
Mrs. E. Walpole Warren, New York		25 00
Miss Georgianna How, New York		5 00
Miss A. S. Collingwood, New York		1 00
Mrs. P. J. L. Searing, New York		5 00
Mrs. E. J. Wheeler, New York		2 00
Mrs. D. B. Whitlock and Miss M. G. Whitlock, New York		7 00
Miss J. E. Taylor, New York		1 00
Miss H. L. Britton, New York		1 00
Mrs. White, New York		2 00
Mrs. F. C. Smith, New York		5 00
Mrs. Franklin, New York		2 00
Miss Smith, New York		2 00
Miss White, New York		1 25
Mrs. G. P. Edgell, New York		1 00
Miss Cushman, New York		5 00
Miss G. B. Harrah, New York		1 16
Messrs. Hackett & Carhart, New York		1 16
Anonymous, New York		22 50
Out-of-Town Parishes, Diocese of New York		
St. George's Newburgh	$ 5 00	
St. Peter's, Westchester	10 00	$ 7 00
St. James', Fordham	5 50	3 00
St. Paul's, Poughkeepsie	3 05	
Trinity Church, Ossining	2 00	5 00
Trinity Church, Fishkill	1 56	2 00
Christ Church, Poughkeepsie	4 10	
Church of the Holy Comforter, Poughkeepsie	2 25	
St. Luke's, Matteawan	12 50	12 00
Ascension, Mt. Vernon	12 50	10 00
St. Barnabas', Irvington	19 34	4 00
Trinity Church, Mt. Vernon	25	

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St. Andrew's, Fishkill	12 20	
St. John's, Kingston	7 50	
Church of the Holy Spirit, Rondout	16 47	
St. James', Goshen	1 00	
St. John's, Yonkers	7 70	
St. John's, Woman's Auxiliary, Yonkers		
St. Andrew's, Yonkers	34 20	
St. Margaret's, Staatsburg	7 09	
Trinity Church, New Rochelle		
Trinity Church, Woman's Auxiliary, New Rochelle		
Trinity Church, Rye		
Holy Cross, Woman's Auxiliary, Kingston		
Grace, White Plains		
Miss M. A. Croes, Yonkers		
Miss Thayer, Yonkers		
Miss Ida Brown, Yonkers		
A Friend		
Miss M. Stewart Brown, New Brighton		
Stephen White, Hopewell		
	$2,392 63	$2,

37—*North Carolina*

St. Stephen's, Oxford	$ 1 50	
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro'	5 00	
Calvary, Wadesboro'	10 10	
St. Mary's School, Raleigh	6 00	
St. Andrew's, Greensboro'	1 50	
Dr. M. C. Cameron, Yanceyville	1 00	
Allan J. Cameron	1 00	
St. Philip's, Durham	1 80	
Trinity Church, Scotland Neck	1 25	
St. Peter's, Charlotte	3 00	
Epiphany, Leaksville	1 00	
Church of the Cross, Littleton		
Emmanuel, Southern Pines		
St. Peter's, Salisbury		
Mrs. C. C. A. Lewis		
Correspondent		
	$33 15	

38—*North Dakota* (*Missionary District*)

St. Paul's, Grand Forks

39—*Ohio*

St. Mark's, Woman's Auxiliary, Toledo

Miss M. F. Bassett, West Liberty

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Correspondent	$2 60	
	$2 60	$2 62
40—*Oklahoma (Missionary District)*		
John P. Key, Asher		$1 00
"A Churchman," Asher		3 00
		$4 00
41—*Olympia (Missionary District)*		
Correspondent	$8 50	
Mrs. L. W. Quimby, Tacoma, Washington		$1 00
	$8 50	$1 00
42—*Oregon*		
Correspondent	$5 00	$2 50
43—*Pennsylvania*		
St. Andrew's (8th Street), Philadelphia	$11 50	$ 5 00
St. Mark's, Philadelphia	5 00	5 00
St. Clement's, Philadelphia	8 50	6 00
St. James', Philadelphia	10 00	5 00
St. Peter's, Philadelphia		25 00
Grace, Philadelphia	2 00	
St. Martin's, Philadelphia	3 00	
Holy Apostles', Philadelphia	42 00	
Independent Branch, Philadelphia	5 00	
Calvary, Germantown, Philadelphia	5 00	5 00
Grace, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia	5 00	3 00
St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia	21 00	16 00
Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr	32 16	
St. Mary's, Ardmore	7 20	
St. James', Downingtown	5 00	1 00
St. Paul's, Chester		1 00
St. Peter's, Germantown		2 00
Miss Eva Wack, Jenkintown		1 00
Miss E. Swift, Norristown		1 00
	$162 36	$76 00
44—*Pittsburgh*		
Correspondent		$20 00
St. Stephen's, Sewickley	$ 1 00	1 00
Ascension, Pittsburg	1 00	2 00
Emmanuel, Allegheny	3 50	
Trinity Church, Pittsburg	1 00	
Calvary, Pittsburg	2 50	
St. Peter's, Pittsburg	1 00	
St. Andrew's, Pittsburg	1 00	
Christ Church, Allegheny	2 50	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash receiv by Treasur
Epiphany, Bellevue	2 35	
Christ Church, Oil City	1 00	
St. John's, Franklin	1 00	
St. Thomas', Oakmont	2 50	
Grace, Miles Grove	4 50	
Christ Church, Meadville	1 00	
Christ Church, Greensburg	1 00	
St. Matthew's, Homestead	1 00	
St. Paul's, Erie	1 00	
Sent to Los Angeles for a Travelling Library	1 00	
Expenses, Correspondent	4 31	
Miss M. McConway, Pittsburg		10 (
	$34 16	$33 (
45—*Rhode Island*		
Correspondent		$10 (
St. John's, Providence	$ 5 00	
St. Stephen's, Providence	15 42	
St. Andrew's, Providence	2 00	
All Saints', Providence	7 50	
Christ Church, Providence	10 00	
Grace, Providence	15 55	
Epiphany, Providence	1 00	
Other donations, Providence	2 10	
Mrs. W. F. Waldron, Hamilton		2 !
	$58 57	$12 !
46—*South Carolina*		
Correspondent		$10 ·
Holy Communion, Charleston	$ 7 49	
St. Michael's, Charleston	32 32	12 !
Christ Church, Greenville	2 00	
Mrs. Manning, Boykin	1 00	
Miss M. Weston, Planterville		1
	$42 81	$23
47—*South Dakota* (*Missionary District*)		
Holy Cross, Pine Ridge Agency		$2
48—*Southern Florida* (*Missionary District*)		
Trinity Church, Thonotosassa	$10 09	
St. Thomas', Eustis	50	
Holy Trinity Church, Melbourne	2 08	
Holy Cross, Sanford	64	
Church of the Good Shepherd, Maitland	1 16	
Christ Church, Longwood	2 08	
St. Luke's, Orlando	15 28	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	Cash received by Treasurer.
All Saints', Lakeland	1 64	
St. Andrew's, Tampa	6 32	
Grace, Merritt	2 36	
For Travelling Library	1 00	
Correspondent	3 00	2 00
Pell-Clark School, Orlando		74
	$46 15	$2 74
49—*Southern Ohio*		
Correspondent	$28 50	
Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, Marietta		$1 00
	$28 50	$1 00
50—*Southern Virginia*		
Correspondent	$41 00	
Miss L. L. Taylor, Norfolk		$ 5 00
Rev. C. O. Pruden, Chatham		7 00
Episcopal Institute, Chatham		36
	$41 00	$12 36
51—*Tennessee*		
Fairmount School, Monteagle		$2 81
Anonymous, Sewanee		2 00
		$4 81
52—*Texas*		
Correspondent		$3 00
St. Paul's, San Antonio		1 00
		$4 00
53—*Vermont*		
Correspondent	$10 75	
54—*Virginia*		
Correspondent		$5 00
All Saints', Richmond	$ 4 00	
St. Paul's, Richmond	6 43	
Holy Trinity Church, Richmond	3 50	
Christ Church, Charlottesville	8 00	
Christ Church, Winchester	3 05	
Monumental Church, Richmond	60	
St. Mark's, Richmond	1 00	
Mrs. W. T. Leavitt, Woodstock		25
	$26 58	$5 25
55—*Washington, D. C.*		
Correspondent		$5 00
St. Paul's, Washington	$ 1 50	

	Receipts reported through Correspondents.	C b
St. John's, Georgetown	1 00	
Trinity Church, Washington	3 50	
St. John's, Washington	2 50	
Ascension, Washington	2 50	
Epiphany, Washington	2 41	
St. Thomas', Washington	1 70	
St. James', Washington	10 00	
St. Margaret's, Washington	1 00	
St. Andrew's, Washington	7 05	
Travelling Library	1 00	
Miss A. B. Joynes, Washington		
	$34 16	
56—*Western Massachusetts*		
St. Paul's, Stockbridge		
Christ Church, Springfield		
57—*Western New York*		
Correspondent	$13 18	
Christ Church, Albion		
	$13 18	
58—*Western Texas* (*Missionary District*)		
St. Stephen's, Goliad		
59—*West Virginia*		
Correspondent	$35 07	
Social Chapter C. P. C. (2 years), Parkersburg		
	$35 07	
Africa		
Rev. Z. B. L. Roberts, Cape Mount, Liberia		

Extracts from Interesting Letters

The following extracts are taken from the numerous letters of "grateful acknowledgment" received at the General Office:

A clergyman in Virginia writes:

"You have, indeed, been very good to me in sending so many periodicals, etc. Let me mention some of the good these magazines and papers are doing. They have aroused an interest in literature, where I had thought such interest did not dwell. They have raised ideals in sleeping minds and awakened slumbering souls. Gradually the tone of the frequenters of the reading-room where the literature is placed has become more and more exalted. Boys who seem to have thought that the purpose of life was self-indulgence have been awakened to the fact that life is for something far different. And the matter of their reading, and the talks which spring therefrom, has had much to do with this—I may say, resurrection. Some of these boys and young men are in our choir and awaiting the Bishop's confirmation. Before we could not get them to come to church. Your kindness to us has been bountiful. But you remember the story of Alexander's friend, who drew so largely upon his lord because he felt that he was so kingly; so I cannot help doing, the Club has treated me so royally."

A clergyman writes from Valdez, Alaska (Oct. 25th, 1904):

"The periodicals have been a great benefit to us, and help in our work; the men come and get them and take them to their cabins to read. They have so few comforts, merely exist in crude cabins, and so it is a great pleasure, through your kindness, to help them in this way to spend their time more profitably than they otherwise would do, with such pernicious environments as exist in a pioneer town of this class.

"I thank all the donors heartily through you, and I am yours gratefully in Christ."

of an Army Post in Nebraska writes:

loss to express my gratitude for the magnificent
is Regiment by your Society.

day yesterday opening boxes, and was not only
mbfounded, to note the character, condition, and
umes contained therein.

are rarely given, and I believe that never before
id gift of books been made to any Regiment in the

g the books out, I piled the boxes (lengthwise)
ther, making shelves, and then arranged the books
"overflow" was put in other cases. The hall of
re the books now are, looks like a book store.

of the Regiment, from the Colonel down, have
o see this exhibit of unheard of generosity.

l commanding the Department of the Missouri
y, on a tour of inspection; he, too, was delighted,
all the years he has been in the army he never
contribution equal either in extent or character
ough your kindly interest, we have been the for-

will be catalogued, and marked and arranged for

matter in a way that the dwellers in town, or city, can hardly understand. We welcome any reading matter we can get here, and will pass it on whenever we can."

From a recipient in Florida:

"The package of exquisite Easter cards was received by late mail, and I am entirely unable to express my delight and admiration. I have never seen anything so pretty in that line and can scarcely wait for the day to come, that I may witness the surprise and delight of the children. I marvel at your generous remembrance of our little band these many seasons past, and I trust that we may continue to merit your kindly attention, for I assure you it means much in this quiet little place of the world."

A recipient in the South writes (June, 1904):

"May I tell you how a calendar for 1902, sent in a box, gave me a trip that I had not thought of in my wildest dream? The calendar, a series of pictures from Hiawatha, and an order to enlarge one in tapestry gave me the trip, and enabled me to consult an oculist and get proper glasses, so that I shall be able to solve the hard problem of living with less trouble than for years. The giver of that calendar to the Church Periodical Club little knew the good and the pleasure she was giving. I had been sick and have regained my strength; I have glasses that will enable me to do better work, and oh, the pleasure of getting out of the same rut! For every passing scene here is new and interesting.

"Forgive me if I have written too much; I wanted you to know the good one box did. In every one I find some picture that I can use for my class, or for a tapestry painting."

A recipient in Nova Scotia writes (August 16th):

"The friends of the C. P. C. have been sending us the loveliest of outdoor reading and cheering us immensely. You are all so good in that lovely country of yours—and, to me, the flower and the fruit of your lovely thoughtfulness lie in the breadth of your helpfulness.

Of course, that is *true* missionary spirit. At the same time, your own kith and kin are so many, and there is so much to be done.

"God bless you all very richly for your works' sake."

From *The Churchman:*

"A young man who is now working his way through college attributes his desire for a higher education to the magazine that came to him from the Church Periodical Club.

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"The Church Periodical Club"

What it is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

at it needs:

It needs books and magazines to supply the constant d

It needs money.

To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, ar several clerks are constantly employed.

To pay the salaries of the clerks.

To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out duri

To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books ar rwarded from the Central Office, as these are general ntirely unaccompanied by money.

It needs the interest and the prayers of every person i h.

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Fifteenth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club

From June 1st, 1904, to June 1st, 1905.

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total reports received from 54 of the 64 Dioceses and Missionary Districts interested in the work.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week, or month by Diocesan Branches	13,780
No. of Current Periodicals sent each month from the Central Office	1,054
No. of Bibles, Testaments, Psalms and Gospels	1,323
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without music	3,461
No. of Books, Theological and Secular	25,647
No. of Tracts and Catechisms	5,487
No. of Odd Magazines and Papers	187,666
No. of Christmas, Easter and Sunday School Cards and Calendars	62,312
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols and Music in Books or Sheets	11,869
No. of Pictures, Games, &c	16,803
No. of Boxes, Barrels and Packages sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not noted	923
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by Freight from Central Office	475
No. of Boxes and Packages sent by Express from Central Office	381
No. of Packages sent by Mail from Central Office	5,283
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	5,658
No. of Letters and Postals sent from the Central Office	8,230
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Clergy	1,371
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Laity	4,665
No. of Hospitals, Life Saving Stations, Light Houses, Reading Rooms, &c.	250

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donations of books, papers, cards, calendars, etc., to the following firms: Messrs.

Henry G. Allen & Co., Burton & Co., R. W. Crothers & Co., E. P. Dutton & Co., James Pott, Thomas Whittaker, and Mrs. Williams.

To the Kaufmann & Strauss Co., The Metropolitan Magazine Co., The Outlook Co., The New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society, The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society and The Church Kalendar Co.

Also to the publishers of The Churchman, The Southern Churchman and The Holy Cross Magazine for free copies sent to the C. P. C., and to senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

rt of the Recording Secretary

nth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club
s friends to-day, asking for renewed interest and

past year the meetings have been addressed by rep-
the City and the Seamen's Missions; by workers
ntains of Virginia and Kentucky, among the In-
exico; all testifying to the value of the literature re-
need of sending more! From "the other end of the
ave heard words of counsel and encouragement from
kers in the Missions House, New York, and from a
of the Church of England, now rector of a prom-
this city.

eply grateful to several firms and individuals who
their kindness of former years, and sent us special

them memorials, were given during the past year. Through the Correspondent for Virginia the State Librarian offered to take charge of any travelling libraries placed in that State, and to circulate them free of charge. It is scarcely necessary to add that this offer was most gratefully accepted.

The resignation of Miss Scrugham, one of the clerks, has deprived the office of an interested and efficient helper. Her absence hampered the work during the summer, but it is hoped that, before this report goes to press, another clerk will be installed.

It is depressing to report that our valued Treasurer, who has given such faithful, efficient work for years, has been obliged to give up her position. Her loss will be greatly felt, but it is a pleasure to state that her name will continue on the Executive Committee, as a Vice-president. One of the Vice-presidents has also been compelled to resign, and this is a source of much regret to her co-workers.

The change of day and hour for the meetings, notice of which will be found on another page, was the result of some discussion. As the change was voted for by a large majority, it is hoped that the attendance will be greatly increased. The work should be known and cared for by every parish in the land.

It is not by a few individual gifts of large amount, valuable as these are, that such a work can be sustained; but by the interest and help of the many, whose annual donations make up a sum upon which one can always depend. The "Duties of a Correspondent" and the "Duties of a Librarian" form a part of this report. Some few realize these duties, and perform them well, and to such all gratitude is due. Many, however, seem to have but a slight conception of their duties, which they assume with zeal, and after a few months, give them up to a new worker. Such changes interfere sadly with regular work, and show a lack of interest which subordinates copy but too quickly. The Correspondents are asked to supervise the work in their several dioceses, and to do their utmost

to have a Librarian appointed in every Parish. Every Librarian is told that part of her duty is to collect annual contributions, but this is often done spasmodically, and when one contributor drops out, but little effort is made to find another. The Librarians are urged to canvass their parishes, and to obtain not only magazines, but also definite sums of money, to be given annually. The salaries of the clerks, upon whom the office work depends; the rent of the room in which this work is done; the necessary items of stationery, stamps and expressage; all these are dependent upon the annual contributions, and cannot be met without. The motto of such a work should be, not enthusiasm, nor interest, nor hard work, much as all of these are needed, but system and regularity; the "patient continuance in well-doing." It is troublesome, no doubt, to send out a magazine once a week, or month; to weigh it every time in order to put on the exact postage; and to report at once any change or discontinuance in sending current literature; but in no other way can the work be kept in running order. On the side of the office, too, the expenditures should be carefully considered, and all extraneous work which necessitates special time and money should be eliminated, no matter how interesting it may be. The managers of the office should exercise great care in spending the money entrusted to them by the public, and see to it that it is used for the best interests of the greatest number of people. Does all this seem a vision only to be realized when the millennium comes? At least, it is a height towards which all earnest Church workers should strive.

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary.

Report of the "Founder's Endowment Fund" 1905

The Treasurer of the "Founder's Endowment Fund" presents the following report:

31 shares of American Express Stock, yielding an annual income of $248.00

Balance in American Savings Bank, November, 1904...	$2,690 08
March 10th, St. Peter's Church, Philadelphia.....	25 00
April 15th, St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, Penn....	28 00
May 20th, St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, Penn.....	1 00
	$2,744 08
With Interest	$2,984 72

We are still far from the desired sum of $10,000, the interest of which would cover the rent of the offices necessary to the work, an expense which is the heaviest incubus on the insufficient income of the Club, and materially hampers its usefulness.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINIGKE,

Treasurer.

Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, N. Y., November, 1905.

Treasurer's

DR. **CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOUNT WITH**

To Salaries		$2,526 50	
Rent		669 99	
Office Expenses: Postage, printing, wages, etc....	$908 66		
Freight and cartage	358 52	1,267 18	
Printing Annual Reports (4,500)		147 50	
Treasurer, for postage, stationery, exchanges on cheques...		29 20	
Ice: from June to October		8 25	
Use of chairs at C. P. C. meeting		2 50	
Janitor, Diocesan House		5 00	
			$4,656 12
Specials expended:—			
Books: Theological, Educational and Sunday School		217 66	
Catechisms, Leaflets, Tracts, etc		118 60	
Christmas and Easter Cards, and Calendars		27 73	
Christmas (boxes, games, etc.)		17 00	
Subscriptions to periodicals		118 65	
Brass plate for bookcase for Travelling Library, in memoriam, Mrs. Arthur S. Hamilton		8 84	
Brass plate for bookcase for Travelling Library		2 56	
Rev. W. Charles Wilson, Spring Hill Mines, Nova Scotia...		5 00	
Donation to a Missionary		1 00	
United Offering for 1904		15 00	
Bookcases for Memorial Travelling Libraries		37 75	
			$569 79
Treasurer Founder's Endowment Fund			28 00
Deposited in Union Square Savings Bank for Building Fund		1 40	
" " " " " " " United Offering (1907)		11 60	13 00
			$5,266 91
June 1, 1905. Balance			1,938 64
			$7,205 55

DR. **MEMORANDUM OF ACCOUNT IN UNION SQUARE**

July, 1904. Interest withdrawn	$28 04	
January, 1905. " "	28 56	
		$56 60
June 1, 1905. Balance		$1,645 00
		$1,701 60

Examined and found correct

WILLIAM G. DAVIES, } *Auditing Committee.*
ALEX. RICE MCKIM, } October 24, 1905.

Report.

MRS. ALBERT BULLUS, TREASURER, JUNE 1, 1904, TO JUNE 1, 1905. **CR.**

June 1, 1904. Balance		$2,074 42
Annual Subscriptions	$997 25	
Donations	2,097 17	
" for Salaries	1,005 00	
" " Express and postage	166 71	
Sales of old books, periodicals, etc	98 37	
Sales of theological books, pictures, book enigmas	10 96	
Refunded for ice	6 60	
" " use of chairs at General Meeting	2 50	
		$4,384 56
Specials:—		
For theological books, from C. P. C. Meeting, Boston	100 00	
Theological, Educational, Sunday School books Hymnals	124 35	
Christmas and Easter Cards and maps	24 75	
Christmas	17 00	
Subscriptions to periodicals	77 87	
Memorial bookcases and plate for Travelling Libraries	31 00	
Plate for bookcase in memory of Mrs. Arthur S. Hamilton	8 84	
In memoriam, Miss Anna P. Jervey	10 00	
Grafton Library, Oneida Reservation	1 00	
Rev. W. Charles Wilson, Spring Hill Mines	5 00	
Founder's Endowment Fund	28 00	
Building Fund	1 40	
United Offering (1904)	8 64	
United Offering (1907)	11 60	
		$ 444 45
Interest from Founder's Endowment Fund		245 52
Interest from Savings Bank		56 60
		$7,205 55

SAVINGS BANK, JUNE 1, 1904, TO JUNE 1, 1905. **CR.**

June 1, 1904. Balance		$1,631 50
July, 1904. Interest	$28 54	
January, 1905. Interest	28 56	
March 31, 1905. Deposited for Building Fund	1 40	
" " " " " United Offering (1907)	11 60	
		70 10
		$1,701 60

MARY JEAN P. BULLUS, *Treasurer.*

Western Branch

ceses included in the Western Branch of the Cl
ub, and under the care of Mrs. C. E. Starbuck,
ncy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fon
ee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All
eses should be reported to Mrs. Starbuck, Grov
o, Ill.

OFFICERS

Contributor's Duty

In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season on the fourth Monday of each month from November to April, inclusive, at the Diocesan House, 29 Lafayette Place, New York City, 11 A.M. The one exception to this will be in December, when the fourth Monday falls on Christmas Day. The meeting will be postponed until Wednesday, December 27th at the same hour.

The dates of these meetings will be announced by postal.

Diocesan Correspondents

dress of the Librarian of any Parish will be furnished on application to the Rector.]

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No. 7—*Central New York*

Miss Mary E. Wood
105 Liberty St., Rome, N. Y. — 28 Librarians

No. 8—*South Carolina*

Miss Emma Gilchrist
12 Bee St., Charleston, S. C. — 8 Librarians

No. 9—*Albany*

Miss M. F. Burt
196 Lark St., Albany, N. Y. — 20 Librarians

No. 10—*Pittsburg*

Mrs. H. M. Doubleday
201 Coltart Square, Pittsburg, Pa. — 22 Librarians

No. 11—*Rhode Island*

Miss L. C. Hoppin (*pro tem.*)
106 Angell St., Providence, R. I. — 25 Librarians

No. 12—*Springfield. Western Branch*

Mrs. Wm. Mitchell
The Rectory, Jacksonville, Ill. — 2 Librarians

No. 13—*Tennessee*

Miss H. H. Turner
University Campus, Knoxville, Tenn. — 6 Librarians

No. 14—

No. 15—*Minnesota. Western Branch*

Miss Frances Densmore
Red Wing, Minn. — 12 Librarians

No. 16*a*—*Maryland* — 15 Librarians

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H. RANDALL WEBB
9th St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 12 Librarians

th Carolina

REBECCA CAMERON
32, Hillsborough, N. C. 21 Librarians

nsylvania

E. C. DILLINGHAM
Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 28 Librarians

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E. M. SKAGEN
Greene St., Augusta, Ga. 9 Librarians

tern Michigan

P. J. WESTOVER
ngton, Mich.

No. 26—*Texas*

Mrs. C. M. Desel
Dickinson, Galveston Co., Tex. — 2 Librarians

No. 27—*East Carolina*

No. 28—*Western Massachusetts* — 9 Librarians

No. 29—*Newark*

Mrs. A. D. Averil
38 Douglas Road, Glenridge, N. J. — 29 Librarians

No. 30—*California*

Mrs. Gaillard Stoney
2130 Lyon St., San Francisco, Cal. — 22 Librarians

No. 31—*Central Pennsylvania*

Miss S. E. Ashley
164 S. River St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa. — 15 Librarians

No. 32—*Colorado*

Mrs. F. A. Ellis, Jr. (*pro tem.*)
1310 Race St., Denver, Col. — 12 Librarians

No. 33—*Ohio* — 1 Librarian

No. 34—*Oregon*

Mrs. Belle J. Sellwood
753 Marshall St., Portland, Ore. — 3 Librarians

No. 35—*Florida*

Mrs. John S. Arnold
Jacksonville, Fla. — 8 Librarians

No. 36—*Western New York*

Mrs. Kate B. Conover
138 Highland Ave., Buffalo, N. Y. — 36 Librarians

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FRANCIS H. LEETE

ndrew's Rectory, Emporia, Kan. 3 Librarians

anapolis. Western Branch

MARY H. MICHIE

Talbot Ave., Indianapolis, Ind. 5 Librarians

mont 10 Librarians

Lake

G. C. HUNTING

Iark's Hospital, Salt Lake City, Utah 1 Librarian

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H. A. ANDERSON

State St., Portland, Me. 11 Librarians

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Virginia

W. H. SMITH

No. 49—*Southern Virginia* 13 Librarians

No. 50—*Olympia* 1 Librarian

No. 51—*Virginia*

Miss M. Freedley
319 West Franklin St., Richmond, Va. 11 Librarians

No. 52—*Dallas*

Mrs. A. H. Dashiell
Terrell, Tex. 2 Librarians

No. 53—*Marquette*

Miss S. D. Williams
605 Thayer St., Ann Arbor, Mich. 3 Librarians

No. 54—*Alabama*

Mrs. Stewart McQueen
96 Mobile St., Montgomery, Ala. 7 Librarians

No. 55—*Southern Florida*

Mrs. J. H. Weddell
Thonotosassa, Fla. 8 Librarians

No. 56—*Easton*

Mrs. L. P. Hollyday
Hotel Avon, Easton, Md. 11 Librarians

No. 57—*Iowa. Western Branch*

Mrs. Cathell
Des Moines, Ia. 7 Librarians

No. 58—*Delaware*

Miss Anne Dale Gibbs
Middletown, Del. 7 Librarians

No. 59—*Missouri*

Miss Louisa B. Allen
5093 Ridge Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 11 Librarians

Angeles

W. F. HUBBARD
S. Union Ave., Los Angeles, Cal. 13 Librarians

Hampshire

W. W. ELKIN
urel St., Concord, N. H. 2 Librarians

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A. E. DOISY
est 4th St., Covington, Ky.

th Dakota

L. M. HARDING
on, N. D.

uth. Western Branch

H. B. STURTEVANT
E. Superior St., Duluth, Minn. 2 Librarians

The Constitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature systematically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, a General Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the Officers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from November to April, inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

The Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in November. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place monthly from October to May inclusive, at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, provided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular Meeting.

By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint Special Committees, when authorized by the Club, and call Special Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. A Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that Office.

3. The General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Club, issue notices of, and prepare a Report for all Meetings, including the Annual Report with statistics.

The General Secretary shall also have the oversight of the work done in the Central Office, and authority to appoint a substitute to fulfil such duties during her absence.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all Meetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual Report, with such assistance as she may ask for at the April Meeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees of their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the same in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, and make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall render a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Monthly Meeting, and prepare a Report for the Annual Meeting.

6. The Treasurer of the Endowment Fund shall have charge of that Fund, and invest the same, subject to the approval of the Advisory Committee. She shall report to the General and Executive Meetings.

II.

COMMITTEES.

Committee shall consult concerning the in-
ffairs of the Club, decisions of importance
eneral Meeting for endorsement.
l visit the Central Office from time to time,
its workings, and assist as far as possible in
here.
e shall be appointed at the April Meeting to
dit the Treasurer's Annual Report.
tee of three shall be appointed at the April
wo laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall
er of the Endowment Fund in making invest-

mittee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

VACANCIES.

acancies among the Officers shall be filled by the
mittee, with the approval of the Club.
acancies in Committees may be filled at any Meet-
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IV.

MOTIONS.

tions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Record-
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VI.

Order of Business.

General Meeting.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of General Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Roll Call.
6. Reading of letters by the General Secretary.
7. Unfinished Business.
8. New Business.
9. Closing Prayers or Doxology.
10. Adjournment.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VII.

Correspondents.

In every Diocese in which this work is carried on there shall be a Correspondent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Parishes in the work, and endeavor to have a Librarian appointed in each Parish:

To keep a list of Parishes and Librarians working for the Church Periodical Club:

To obtain from the Central Office all information required by the Librarians, and transmit the same to them, immediately:

To send to the Central Office an Annual Report of the work done in her Diocese.

VIII.

Librarians.

Parish in which this work is carried on there shal
an appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be a

rest the Members of the Congregation in the work
om them regular contributions of literature and money
a list of the names and addresses of those person
d current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspond
Central Office for recipients for same:
ly the donors with names and addresses for thei
nd notify them of any change of address:
t to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish:
a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

Report of Contributions

From Dioceses and Missionary Districts.

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
1—*Alabama*		
St. John's, Montgomery	$3 00	
Church of the Holy Comforter, Montgomery	9 75	
St. Wilfred's, Marion	2 50	
St. Michael and All Angels', Anniston	5 00	
St. Mary's, Birmingham	2 00	
Trinity Church, Demopolis	1 50	
Correspondent		$7 75
Miss H. Lawless, Florence		5 00
	$23 75	$12 75
2—*Alaska* (*Missionary District*)		
A. R. Hoare, Circle		$1 00
3—*Albany*		
St. Peter's, Albany	$5 00	
Church of the Messiah, Glens Falls	2 78	
Holy Cross, Troy	1 00	
St. John's (Mann bequest), Troy	25 00	
St. John's, Troy	3 50	
St. Mark's Junior Auxiliary, Glen Island	2 00	
Correspondent		$39 50
St. Paul's Junior Auxiliary, Albany	4 00	
St. Barnabas', Stottville		1 00
	$43 28	$40 50
4—*Asheville* (*Missionary District*)		
St. Luke's, Lincolnton	$3 00	
St. Philip's, Brevard	2 00	
Holy Cross, Tryon	1 00	
Correspondent		$6 00
Miss E. P. Huger, Brevard		30
Christ School, Arden		1 00
Miss A. M. Chisholm, Asheville		1 00
Mrs. Rufus A. Hamilton, Beaver Creek		1 00
	$6 00	$9 30

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash receiv by Treasurer
5—*Arkansas*		
Mrs. W. Gorman, Forest City		$1 0
6—*California*		
St. Mark's, Berkeley	$12 00	
St. Luke's Mission, Los Gatos	2 05	
St. John's, Oakland	3 90	
San Anselmo Chapel, Ross	4 00	
St. James' Mission, San Francisco	1 50	
St. Luke's, San Francisco	99 75	
St. Paul's, San Francisco	1 00	
Trinity Church, San Francisco	10 50	
Trinity Church, San José	5 30	
St. Paul's, San Rafael	1 00	
Through Correspondent	33 05	$35 00
	$174 05	$35 00
7—*Central New York*		
Correspondent	$3 00	
Mrs. C. T. Olmsted, Utica		$12 00
	$3 00	$12 00
8—*Central Pennsylvania*		
St. John's, Carlisle	$2 00	
St. Paul's, Bloomsburg	5 00	
St. John's, Athens	5 00	
Mrs. H. H. Dimmick, Honesdale	1 00	
Correspondent, Wilkesbarre	1 00	
St. Stephen's Woman's Auxiliary, Wilkesbarre	5 00	
Mrs. H. Harding, Wilkesbarre	1 00	
Miss Sarah Russell, White Haven	1 00	
Mrs. W. R. Butte, Mauch Chunk	1 00	
Diocesan Treasurer		$50 0
St. John's, East Mauch Chunk		2 0
St. John's, York		2 0
Grace Woman's Auxiliary, Honesdale		5 0
St. James', Lancaster		1 0
	$22 00	$60 0
9—*Chicago* (*Western Branch*)		
Mrs. Starbuck	$110 40	
Mrs. R. A. McArthur, Treasurer		$5 0
	$110 40	$5 0

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
10—*Colorado*		
Cathedral, Denver	$4 25	
St. Mark's, Denver	3 76	
St. Barnabas', Denver	3 18	
St. Stephen's, Denver	3 50	
St. John's, Boulder	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Colorado Springs	5 00	
All Saints', Denver	25	
Through Correspondent	1 85	$10 78
	$22 79	$10 78
11—*Connecticut*		
Annual Pledge, Woman's Auxiliary	$50 00	$50 00
Christ Church, Greenwich	22 00	1 00
St. Andrew's, Meriden	10 00	13 50
All Saints', Hallam Club, Meriden		1 00
St. Paul's, New Haven	1 00	
Christ Church, Watertown	1 00	
St. Paul's Guild, Fairfield		1 00
Holy Trinity Church, Middletown		1 00
Correspondent		2 00
Miss E. S. Furlong, Meriden		1 00
Mrs. Foster Ely, Ridgefield		1 00
	$84 00	$71 50
12—*Delaware*		
Trinity Church, Wilmington		$2 00
St. Peter's, Smyrna		25
		$2 25
13—*East Carolina.*		
Rev. J. H. Griffith, Jr., Kinston		$1 25
Mrs. C. C. A. Lewis, Poplar Branch		1 05
		$2 30
14—*Easton*		
Correspondent	$20 00	
15—*Florida*		
St. John's, Tallahassee		$5 00
16—*Georgia*		
Miss Gail Harwood, Savannah		$1 00
17—*Iowa (Western Branch)*		
Correspondent	$1 00	

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash re by Tres
Trinity Church Woman's Auxiliary, Emmetsburg		
*Grace Church Woman's Auxiliary, Lyons.		
	$1 00	
18—*Kansas*		
St. Andrew's, Emporia	$1 00	
Trinity Church, Lawrence	50	
Kansas City	1 00	
Atchison	1 25	
Manhattan	1 00	
Fort Leavenworth	1 00	
Wichita	1 00	
Wakefield	1 00	
St. Matthew's, Newton	1 00	
Correspondent, Emporia	1 00	
St. Peter's Sunday-school, Kansas City		
	$9 75	$1
19—*Kentucky*		
Church of the Advent, Louisville	$1 00	
St. Paul's, Louisville	1 00	
St. Mark's, Crescent Hill	1 00	
Correspondent		
	$3 00	
20—*Laramie (Missionary District)*		
Miss Ellen Parr, Spring Valley, Wyoming.		
21—*Lexington*		
Correspondent	$1 00	
22—*Long Island*		
St. Ann's	$26 25	
Church of the Redeemer, Astoria	35 86	$
Christ Church, Bay Ridge	92 00	
St. Mark's, Eastern Parkway	13 86	
St. Bartholomew's, Brooklyn	52 00	
Cathedral, Garden City	10 00	
Incarnation, Brooklyn	22 50	
St. George's, Astoria	11 00	
Church of the Holy Spirit, Bath Beach	10 00	
Church of the Redeemer, Brooklyn	19 00	
St. John's, Huntington	29 15	
St. James', Brooklyn	10 50	
St. Mary's, Brooklyn	35 36	
Church of the Good Shepherd, Brooklyn	32 00	

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. Matthew's, Brooklyn	14 66	
St. Martin's, Brooklyn	9 18	
Grace, Brooklyn	52 00	
Grace, E. D.	3 00	
Trinity Church, E. D.	5 00	
Church of the Holy Trinity, Brooklyn	35 00	10 00
St. Peter's, Brooklyn	7 00	
St. Paul's, Flatbush	91 51	
St. George's, Brooklyn	9 97	
St. Stephen's, Brooklyn	26 70	50
St. George's, Flushing	35 50	2 00
Christ Church, Brooklyn	21 00	
Church of the Messiah, Brooklyn	15 00	
St. Luke's, Brooklyn	42 00	
St. Thomas', Brooklyn	8 86	
Christ Church, Bedford Avenue	8 00	
Resurrection, Richmond Hill	10 00	
Mrs. L. F. Matson, Richmond Hill		1 00
St. Michael's, Brooklyn	78 00	
St. Mark's, Brooklyn	15 57	
St. John's, Far Rockaway	39 00	
Christ Church, Babylon	3 00	
St. Paul's, Brooklyn	4 00	
St. Augustine's, Brooklyn	2 00	
St. Jude's, Blythebourne	8 50	
St. Joseph's, Queens	16 63	
Epiphany, Ozone Park	2 00	
Christ Church, Sag Harbor	5 00	5 00
St. James', St. James	33 00	
St. Andrew's, Creedmoor	4 00	
St. Stephen's, Port Washington	3 00	
Correspondent		121 50
Mrs. A. Whittemore, Brooklyn		1 00
Miss Cleaveland, Brooklyn		1 00
St. John's, Centre Moriches		2 00
Mrs. H. W. Reboul, St. James		105 92
	$1,007 56	$251 42
23—*Los Angeles*		
Diocesan Treasurer	$35 44	
Through Diocesan Treasurer, from		
Church of the Ascension, Los Angeles		$1 00
St. John's, Los Angeles		1 00
Christ Church, Los Angeles		1 00
St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Los Angeles		2 00
All Saints', Pasadena		2 00

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash receiv by Treasur
Librarian for Large Pasadena		1 0
Trinity Church, Redlands		2 0
Church of Our Saviour, San Gabriel		1 0
Ascension Mission, Sierra Madre		2 0
Santa Barbara		1 0
Christ Church, Coronado		1 0
Correspondent		1 67
	$35 44	$16 67
24—*Maine*		
Correspondent	$5 50	$3 00
Bass Harbor Library, Tremont		1 0
Mrs. J. C. Koon		1 0
	$5 50	$5 0
25—*Marquette*		
Librarian	$1 00	
Trinity Church, Houghton, Michigan		$1 0
	$1 00	$1 0
26—*Maryland*		
Correspondent	$6 68	$5 0
Memorial Church, Baltimore		1 0
St. Mary's, Bel Air, Harford		C
St. Peter's, Baltimore		3
Mrs. Percy Proctor, Oakland		5
	$6 68	$14
27—*Massachusetts*		
St. Thomas', Taunton	$1 50	
Church of Our Saviour, Longwood	1 00	
St. Mary's, Dorchester	3 66	
Epiphany, Winchester	1 00	
Christ Church, Quincy	1 00	
Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston	1 00	
St. Michael's, Milton	6 00	
St. John's, Cambridge	3 60	
Trinity Church, Newton Centre	1 00	
All Saints', Dorchester	3 00	
St. James', Roxbury	1 00	
St. Paul's, Boston	87 00	
Christ Church, Cambridge	1 00	
St. Paul's, Brookline	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Lynn	1 00	
St. Chrysostom's, Wollaston	1 09	
Emmanuel Church, Boston	26 20	

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aints', Brookline	1 00	
ary's, Newton Lower Falls	2 00	
ohn's, Jamaica Plain	8 00	
ty Church, Boston	80 85	
aul's, Dedham	4 50	
h of the Holy Spirit, Mattapan	3 13	
t Church, Hyde Park	1 00	
ohn's, Arlington	7 00	
h of the Messiah, Boston	2 00	
sion, Fall River	1 00	
eter's, Cambridge	2 92	
hn's, Roxbury	3 00	
Diocese (including Convention offer-ig)	242 45	
ght over from 1903-1904	79 28	
spondent		$303 50
George S. Converse, Dedham		1 00
	$579 18	$304 50
gan		
hn's, Detroit	$15 71	
hn's Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	1 25	
Church, Detroit	5 00	
Church Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	4 00	
mes' (St. Mary's Guild), Detroit	1 45	
ary's, Grass Lake	5 50	
h of the Messiah, Detroit	2 00	
h of the Messiah Junior Auxiliary, etroit	2 00	
Church, Detroit	2 00	
Church Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	50	
aul's, Detroit	4 00	
ul's, Jackson	2 00	
y Church, Bay City	1 00	
ndrew's, Ann Arbor	1 00	
aul's, Flint	9 21	
drew's, Detroit	3 75	
ndrew's Junior Auxiliary, Detroit	75	
seph's, Detroit	2 00	
mes', Birmingham	50	
ter's, Detroit	50	
Church, Owosso	1 00	
aints', Pontiac	1 00	
C. Branch, Gross Ile	1 00	
ike's, Ypsilanti	1 00	
Church, Henriette	50	

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Christ Church, Zapeer	50	
Mrs. W. Warne Wilson, Trinity Church, , Detroit	1 00	
Church of Epiphany, Boys, Detroit	2 80	
Pledge, Woman's Auxiliary		$25 00
Correspondent		2 00
All Saints', Brooklyn		25
	$72 92	$27 25
29—*Minnesota (Western Branch)*		
Correspondent	$8 00	
Rev. William Wilkinson, Minneapolis		$1 00
	$8 00	$1 00
30—*Mississippi*		
Trinity Church, Pass Christian		$1 00
Mrs. J. R. Carter, Vicksburg		1 50
		$2 50
31—*Missouri*		
Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, St. Louis	$10 00	
Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis	1 00	
Holy Communion, St. Louis	3 00	
St. Peter's, St. Louis	1 55	
St. John's, St. Louis	50	
St. James', St. Louis	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Ferguson	3 00	
Grace, Kirkwood	4 15	
Correspondent		$1 [illegible]
	$24 20	$1 [illegible]
32—*Nebraska (Western Branch)*		
Correspondent	$5 00	
33—*Newark*		
Holy Communion, South Orange		$7
Mr. F. E. Hagemeyer, South Orange		1
Grace, Orange		2
Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Orange		11 [illegible]
St. Thomas', Roseville		1 [illegible]
Mrs. J. B. White, Essex Fells		2 [illegible]
Correspondent	$131 17	35 55
	$131 17	$60 55
34—*New Jersey*		
All Saints', Navesink		$1 00

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Mrs. William Post, Lakewood		50
Mrs. W. Strothers Jones, Vaucleuse		1 00
35—*New York*		$2 50
All Angels', New York	$16 00	
All Souls', New York	21 00	$23 00
Archangel, New York	27 50	1 25
Ascension, New York	32 95	18 75
Ascension Memorial, New York	2 00	3 00
Beloved Disciple, New York	7 76	2 00
Calvary, New York	66 00	66 50
Christ Church, New York		11 00
Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary, New York		73 00
Epiphany, New York	9 19	9 50
Grace, New York	747 98	747 98
Grace Chantry, New York (a collection)		65
Heavenly Rest, New York	80 00	59 00
Heavenly Rest, New York (a collection)		20 00
Holy Apostles', New York		2 00
Holy Communion, New York	37 75	49 75
Church of the Holy Trinity, Harlem		2 00
Incarnation, New York	79 00	79 25
Intercession, New York	9 00	4 00
Intercession Woman's Missionary Society		5 00
St. Andrew's, New York	110 00	114 00
St. Ann's, Morrisania	5 00	5 00
St. Bartholomew's, New York	162 60	103 25
St. George's, New York	139 75	123 75
St. George's Missionary Society, New York		25 00
St. Ignatius', New York		1 00
St. James', New York	110 00	114 00
St. John the Evangelists, New York		1 00
St. Luke's, New York		60 00
St. Mark's, New York	25 00	38 00
St. Matthew's, New York	26 56	9 00
St. Matthew's, New York (a collection)		11 06
St. Michael's, New York	32 22	20 07
St. Peter's Woman's Missionary Society		8 00
St. Thomas', New York	500 00	155 60
St. Thomas' (a collection), New York		262 38
St. Thomas' Woman's Auxiliary, New York		11 05
St. Thomas' Chapel Woman's Auxiliary, New York		1 80

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
guration, New York	42 00	77 25
Parish, New York:		
nity Church	16 00	18 60
Agnes' Chapel	46 70	32 00
Agnes', St. Mary's Chapter, Daughters of the King (in memoriam)		5 00
John's Chapel		5 00
nity Chapel Woman's Missionary Relief Association	118 40	118 00
Church, New Rochelle	10 00	1 70
d St. Timothy, New York	108 50	88 80
d St. Timothy, in memoriam Miss P. Jersey		5 00
abas' Clothing Bureau, New York		7 00
nt Episcopal Mission for Seamen		6 00
s Christian Association		8 00
at C. P. C. General Meetings		6 39
Mite-box for United Offering		10 24
nd," New York		650 00
Ogden, New York		1 50
. Gordon, New York		2 00
arles Douglas, New York		50
bert T. Woodward, New York		1 00
nd," New York		1 00
nd," New York		2 00
nd," New York		2 00

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
St. Paul's, Poughkeepsie	2 60	1 00
Church of the Holy Comforter, Poughkeepsie	4 65	
St. Margaret's, Staatsburg	4 92	1 00
St. Luke's, Matteawan	12 00	10 00
Ascension, Mt. Vernon	12 25	12 25
St. Barnabas' (2 Trav. Lib.), Irvington	144 51	7 00
St. Andrew's, Yonkers	13 80	16 05
St. Andrew's, Fishkill	10 33	1 00
St. John's, Kingston	6 80	1 00
St. John's, Yonkers		5 00
St. John's Woman's Auxiliary, Yonkers		25 00
Church of the Holy Spirit, Rondout	4 46	25
St. James', Goshen		1 00
Zion, Dobb's Ferry		2 25
Mrs. Meyrick, Dobb's Ferry		96
St. Paul's, Ossining		10 00
Miss L. Easton, Ossining		1 00
Church of the Redeemer, Pelham		2 00
St. George's, Newburgh		3 00
Christ Church, Rye		4 50
St. Paul's, Yonkers		3 00
Christ Church, Riverdale		1 00
Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary, New Brighton		10 00
Christ Church, Red Hook		1 00
	289 82	139 26
Total, Diocese of New York	$2,878 68	$3,447 04

16—*North Carolina*

Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary, Raleigh	$2 95
St. Andrew's, Woman's Auxiliary, Greensboro	6 00
Mrs. John Wilkes, Charlotte	1 00
Dr. M. C. Cameron, Caswell County	1 00
Mr. A. J. Cameron, Hillsborough	1 00
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsborough	1 00
Mrs. S. P. Watters, Hillsborough	1 00
Through Miss Helen Webb, Hillsborough	25
Woman's Auxiliary, Hillsborough	3 00
Mr. J. B. Hunter, Durham	1 00
St. Mary's School, Junior Auxiliary, Raleigh	6 00
Woman's Auxiliary, Leakesville	1 00

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Woman's Auxiliary, Stoneville	50	
Woman's Auxiliary, Oxford	1 50	
Woman's Auxiliary, Henderson	1 00	
Woman's Auxiliary, Cooleeme	1 00	
Woman's Auxiliary, Durham	2 00	
Woman's Auxiliary, Scotland Neck	2 10	
Woman's Auxiliary, Wadesboro	7 00	
Expenses in postage reported	6 08	
Correspondent		53 28
St. Augustine's, Raleigh		10
St. Barnabas', Greensboro		1 00
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro		1 00
Church of the Cross, Littleton		2 02
Anonymous, Winston-Salem		1 00
	$46 38	$58 40
37—*Ohio*		
Correspondent	$5 84	
Trinity Church, Toledo		$1 00
	$5 84	$1 00
38—*Oregon*		
Trinity Church, Woman's Auxiliary, Portland	$2 50	$2 50
G. S. Hospital	1 00	
	$3 50	$2 50
39—*Oklahoma and Indian Territory*		
Mr. J. P. Key (Postage), Indian Territory		$0 12
40—*Pennsylvania*		
Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr	$26 00	
Grace, Mt. Airy, Germantown	5 00	
St. Andrew's, Philadelphia	6 00	
St. James', Philadelphia	25 00	
St. Peter's, Philadelphia	5 00	
A Member of St. Peter's (for Endowment Fund)		25 00
St. Clement's, Philadelphia	6 00	
St. Mark's, Philadelphia	5 00	
Calvary, Germantown	6 00	
Christ Church Chapel, Philadelphia	39 46	
Holy Apostles', Philadelphia	49 60	

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Grace, Philadelphia	1 00	
Independent Branch, Philadelphia	1 00	
St. Luke Epiphany, Philadelphia	29 00	
St. Stephen's, Philadelphia	1 00	
All Hallows', Philadelphia	1 00	
Annunciation, Philadelphia	1 00	
St. Peter's, Welden	1 00	
St. Stephen's, Clifton Heights	1 00	
All Saints', Torresdale	1 00	
St. David's, Radnor	1 00	
St. Paul's, Bristol	1 00	
Coatesville, Pennsylvania	1 00	
Chester, Pennsylvania	1 00	
Donation to Diocesan Office	15 00	
Correspondent, Philadelphia		59 00
Emmanuel, Philadelphia		1 00
St. Paul's (for Endowment Fund), Chestnut Hill		33 00
Mrs. Charles Scott, Radnor		50
Miss Harriet L. F. Gibbons, Ardmore		10 00
Miss E. Swift, Norristown, Pa		1 00
	$229 06	$129 50

1—*Pittsburgh*

Calvary, Pittsburgh	$2 50
Grace, North Girard	1 00
St. Stephen's, Sewickley	1 00
Christ Church, Greensburg	1 00
Trinity Church, Pittsburgh	1 00
Trinity Church, Washington, Pa	1 00
St. John's, Franklin	1 00
Emmanuel, Allegheny	1 00
Christ Church, Allegheny	1 00
St. Andrew's, Pittsburgh	1 00
St. Matthew's, Homestead	1 00
Christ Church, Oil City	1 00
Christ Church, Meadville	1 00
Church of the Ascension, Pittsburgh	2 00
St. Thomas', Oakmont	1 00
St. Paul's, Erie	1 00
Church of the Epiphany, Bellevue	1 00
St. Mary's Memorial, Pittsburgh	1 00
Librarian's Expenses	7 00

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash r by Tre
Correspondent's Expenses	4 61	
Correspondent		
	$32 11	
42—*Quincy*		
St. Paul's, Peoria, Ill.		
43—*Rhode Island*		
St. John's, Providence	**$7 00**	
Grace, Providence	**17 05**	
Christ Church, Providence	**10 33**	
All Saints', Providence	**9 00**	
St. Stephen's, Providence	**13 15**	
Church of the Epiphany, Providence	**1 00**	
St. Luke's, East Greenwich	**2 57**	
St. Mark's, Warren	**1 75**	
St. Philip's, Cronigsten	1 00	
Correspondent		
	$62 85	
44—*Sacramento (Missionary District)*		
Correspondent	$5 00	
45—*South Carolina*		
Grace, Charleston	$1 00	
Holy Communion, Charleston	3 00	
St. Philip's, Charleston	1 50	
Expenses, Postage	6 79	
Correspondent		
St. Michael's, Charleston		
	$12 29	
46—*Southern Florida (Missionary District)*		
St. Luke's, Orlando	$1 30	
Through Correspondent	2 50	
Collection at Annual Meeting, Woman's Auxiliary	2 55	
Correspondent		
All Saints', Enterprise		
	$6 35	
47—*Southern Ohio*		
Correspondent	$37 21	
Christ Church, Avondale, Cincinnati		

	Reports of Correspondents to Treasurer.	Cash received by Treasurer.
Grace, Avondale, Cincinnati		1 00
St. Luke's, Marietta		1 00
	$37 21	$9 00
48—*Southern Virginia*		
Woman's Auxiliary, through Diocesan Secretary	$5 00	$5 00
Correspondent's Expenses	2 00	
St. Luke's, Norfolk	8 62	
Christ Church, Norfolk	4 50	
Chatham Episcopal Institute, Chatham		4 00
	$20 12	$9 00
49—*Tennessee*		
Mrs. Telfair Hodgson, Sewanee		$2 00
50—*Texas*		
Correspondent	$10 65	$2 00
51—*Vermont*		
Trinity Parish, Shelburne	$15 00	
52—*Virginia*		
Correspondent	$8 20	$5 00
Emmanuel, Woman's Auxiliary, Henrico County		1 00
Mrs. W. T. Leavell, Mt. Jackson		25
St. James', Warrenton		1 00
	$8 20	$7 25
53—*Washington, D. C.*		
St. Paul's, Washington	$0 50	
St. John's, Georgetown	1 50	
Trinity Church, Georgetown	6 38	
St. John's, Washington	4 00	
Ascension, Washington	2 50	
Epiphany, Washington	3 00	
St. Thomas', Washington	3 17	
St. James', Washington	18 00	
St. Margaret's, Washington	15 00	
St. Andrew's	3 00	
Correspondent		$5 00
St. Andrew's, Washington		7 00
St. Andrew's (a member), in memory of		

young men in a winter's season of chopping. He has no better paying work in town. Just think of it, walking over four miles to his work! He gets 60 cents per cord. For several years he has been paid only 75 cents for ordinary work, while younger men net $1. He is always contented and cheerful, and it is a pleasure to do anything for him, because he is appreciative. Some of his neighbors spoke to him of the amount of information he had, and he was quick to indicate the source, as much as to say you and your co-laborers should have the credit—for it was enough for him to get the knowledge. Where I hold service on alternate Sundays there are four families, of which the elderly members are most grateful for the papers and books you send. I gauge it so that I have something good for them every time I go, and they do not forget to show their gratitude most forcibly."

"The books of case No. —— have been called in, preparatory to being sent on the second stage of their journey, and I, who have been enjoying them during the past summer, wish to thank those who have so generously provided this intellectual feast. The last chapter of John Burroughs's 'Literary Value' seemed written especially for the benefit of myself and husband. We, being alone on the farm, were seriously thinking of moving to Houston to be near our children who have settled there; but we have decided to take his advice and remain where we shall have something to occupy our time and minds. . . . Once, some one asked an old resident: 'What kind of a settlement is——?' She answered: 'Well, it is not much of a settlement, but it is considerable of a scatterment!' Only a few families live near the station, and the others live at distances varying from one to four miles; so you can readily understand that it is just the place where books can do so much to brighten the lives of those deprived of frequent social intercourse. The books were kept in the school-house, and were given out every Friday afternoon; this brought us together and gave us an opportunity of discussing our favorite authors and books. The little people came as regularly as did the young folks and the older ones; all seemed to be so deeply interested in them. Though few of the men found time to go for books, they did not fail to send for them

Extracts from Interesting Letters

Copy, from *The Churchman,* September, 1905:

"Archdeacon Stuck, of the Alaska Mission, desires to express to the Members of the Church Periodical Club, and others who have sent reading matter to him, his thanks for the generous response that has been made to his request. The reading-room has been enabled to extend its usefulness beyond the furnishing of its tables with periodicals, and has sent out hundreds of copies of publications of all sorts, far and wide over the country. Prospectors going to remote diggings have been invited to call at the reading-room and get bundles of reading matter, and ever since there has been a constant stream of outgoing miners at the mission. The duplicates and back numbers have been carried up and down the river in steamboats and poling boats, and across country on pack horses and mules, and even on men's backs when there were no beasts of burden, and many a lonely life will have recreation and interest brought into it in the coming winter as a result of this distribution. These periodicals will be passed from hand to hand, and read and re-read so long as they hold together. The demand being thus eager, and the need great, Archdeacon Stuck begs that the supply may be kept up, and is grateful to the kind friends who have enabled him to make St. Matthew's Reading Room, Fairbanks, the chief agent in Alaska for the dissemination of good literature. He would ask leave to add that, whenever possible, packages should be sent flat, and not rolled."

"Three books came by mail, and a goodly bundle by express. The recipient is delighted with your gifts, and nothing gives the old gentleman more downright satisfaction than to think you remember him personally. He was born in 1822, and is still able to work. He helps me in my garden, as he does half a dozen others. In spite of his years he will cut more cords of wood than many

y-two miles off the railroad, and have not been abl
brought over, but hope to very soon. I am ver
books and other reading matter sent, and will plac
n the little public circulating library here, of whic
The books are a godsend to the people here, wh
is opportunity to get good reading matter, an
w who can afford it for themselves. Please accep
ks for what you have sent. You could not hav
s needed worse, or would be more appreciated."

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rived yesterday and will be more appreciated tha
nt lately, as there is a greater variety of readin
d much encourage your Club if you could see an
lub has done for this whole community. A gentle
was riding by a farmer's house about eight mile
ng since, and saw a farmer at 12 M., while restin
print Bible. In conversation he ascertained tha
he man prized so highly was one that my wife (o
gave him, and which came from the C. P. C. G
this section, where good reading was unknow

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What it is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

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It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

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V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant mand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, a in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out duri the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books a papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are genera sent in entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person the Church.

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AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

of the Recording Secretary

is drawing to a close, and the Church Periodical
Annual Report.

ıthly meetings have been interesting, and well
tra meeting was held in October, so that, this
be seven meetings instead of six. The change of
ınd to the fourth Monday in the month made this
ıle, in order to bring the work before the public
son than the end of November. For the same
l Meeting will, hereafter, be held in October in-
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have been addressed by missionaries from both
foreign field. One of these, a little Japanese
er pretty, broken English how much the C. P. C
ople by sending literature to their far-off country
of literature have again been received from sev
names appear on another page. We would like t
ally, for their continued kindness.

of Texas and of Los Angeles have shown specia
e past year, and the Diocese of Long Island i
good works. May others be incited to follow suc

past year some of our co-workers have been re
They are: Miss Phœbe Bockee, for a long time

New Jersey, Diocese of Newark; Mrs. John Cannon, Librarian from St. Barnabas's Church, Irvington-on-Hudson, Diocese of New York; and Mrs. Wm. H. Dimmick, for many years Librarian from Grace Church, Honesdale, Penn., Diocese of Central Pennsylvania. For their work and their interest we are most grateful, and will miss their earnest efforts in our behalf.

One of the clerks in the office, who has been with us for many years, was obliged to resign this fall. Her valuable work and excellent knowledge of books made her position most important, and she will be greatly missed by her fellow-workers.

As we look back to the twelve months just passed, it is, perhaps, difficult to estimate how much has been accomplished. The work presents but few features to distinguish it from that of former years. It is limited only by lack of time, and strength, and means; but the calls from the field increase with every year. There are so many places where literature is needed, where people hunger for it, and where the workers see their opportunities slipping away because material cannot be supplied at the exact moment when it would do the most good. Then we turn to the brighter side, and think of the various incidents which show that, though quite inadequate to supply the great demand, our labors have helped some people in their need. We hear of the isolated family counting the days for the cherished magazine to make its monthly visit; of the friendship formed between the giver and the recipient; and of the aid and sympathy given in consequence of such friendship. We listen to the story of the clergyman and his wife who gave up one room in their small cottage, and that room the kitchen! because it was the only quiet place where men could come to read. We are told of another place where thirty working girls contributed $119 for Missions, so that others might hear the good tidings which had helped them so much. We read of the books and papers literally falling to pieces, because they have been passed on and on, through

so many hands. We hear of the bare walls of a cabin made bright with cards and pictures pinned up by the little children of the family, who learn to love their home as it grows more attractive. We read Archdeacon's Stuck's account of the men who would rather leave behind them their rations than their packages of books from the C. P. C. Then we "thank God and take courage," and labor on with renewed hope, because we are permitted to help, if only a very little, in His great work of spreading the Gospel throughout the world.

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary.

Report of the "Founder's Endowment Fund" 1906

The Treasurer of the Founder's Endowment Fund presents the following report:

31 shares of American Express stock, yielding an annual income of $368.28.

Amount in American Savings Bank	$3,000 00
April 16th, Mrs. Charles M. Desel, Dickinson, Galveston Co., Texas	5 00
May 15th, St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, Penn.	27 00
July 13th, Woman's Auxiliary, St. James's Church, Painesville, Ohio	15 25
Amount in Union Square Savings Bank	89 50
	$3,136 75

We still earnestly hope and desire that this fund may be increased to $15,000, the interest of which would defray the rent of the offices necessary to the work of the Club. Let no one hesitate to contribute small sums; they will be gratefully received.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINIGKE,
Treasurer.

420 Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, N. Y.

Treasurer's

DR. **CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOUNT WITH**

To Salaries		$2,065 00	
Rent		670 00	
Office Expenses: Postage, printing, wages, etc.	$983 17		
Freight and cartage	350 05	1,333 22	
Treasurer for postage, stationery and exchange on checks		20 94	
Office needs		14 85	
Ice		8 85	
Printing Annual Reports		147 50	
" Postals		37 85	
" Circulars		24 50	
" Tickets		2 00	
Advertisements		4 32	
			$4,329 03
Specials:—			
Books		$132 80	
Catechisms, Leaflets, etc.		67 38	
Hymnals (special)		13 60	
Prayer Books and Hymnals		4 30	
Books to Grafton Library		1 00	
Books special (for Memorial Library to Miss Jervey)		8 29	
Christmas and Easter Cards and Calendars		26 36	
Christmas boxes and toys		18 50	
Christmas gifts to employees at Church Missions House		10 00	
Subscriptions to periodicals		117 66	
Binding Books		7 00	
Scholarship at St. Paul's School, N. C. (for Matthews)		10 00	
For Rev. Mr. Chapman (Boys' Club at Fairview, N. J.)		13 00	
Refunded to Librarian of St. James's Church, New York		5 00	
Travelling bookcase		8 50	
Plate for Travelling bookcase		1 58	
250 Book plates for Memorial Travelling Library		2 00	
Paid Treasurer Founder's Endowment Fund		27 00	
Deposited in Union Square Savings Bank for Building Fund.		5 00	
Deposited in Union Square Savings Bank for Mite-box		1 00	
			$ 479 [illegible]
			4,809 [illegible]
Balance			2,199 [illegible]
			$7,008 [illegible]

DR. **MEMORANDUM OF ACCOUNT IN UNION SQUA[illegible]**

July 18, 1905. Withdrawn	$73 67	
January 26, 1906. Withdrawn (interest)	28 00	
		$ 101
June 1, 1906. Balance		1,606
		$1,707

Examined and found correct

WILLIAM G. DAVIES, } *Auditing Committee.*
ALEX. RICE MCKIM, } July 2, 1906.

Report

MRS. W. N. MCDUNNOUGH, JUNE 1, 1905, TO JUNE, 1906. **CR.**

June 1, 1905. Balance		$1,938 64
By Annual Subscriptions	$ 722 00	
Donations	2,841 61	
" for Salaries	355 00	
" " Express, Postage and Storage	205 72	
Wages (withdrawn from Savings Bank)	45 00	
Sales of old books, periodicals, etc.	84 27	
" " Theological books, pictures, etc.	31 30	
" " Lecture tickets	71 50	
Refund for ice	6 63	
		$4,363 03
Specials:—		
Books, Theological, Educational, S. S. and Hymnals	89 93	
Bibles	20 00	
Christmas Cards and Easter Cards	9 75	
Christmas Boxes	23 50	
Subscriptions to periodicals	63 30	
Office expenses	22 00	
Office needs	11 00	
As Secretary may designate	68 45	
Binding books	5 00	
For Rev. Mr. Chapman and Boys' Club at Fairview	12 50	
" Mrs. Geffroy	2 00	
" Scholarship at St. Paul's School	20 00	
" Boys at Hart's Island	2 00	
" Travelling bookcase	17 00	
" Founder's Endowment Fund	27 00	
" Building Fund	5 00	
" United Offering	5 00	
" Mite-boxes	1 00	
" Interest from Endowment Fund	245 52	
" Interest from Savings Bank	56 67	
		$ 706 62
		$7,008 29

SAVINGS BANK, JUNE 1, 1905, TO JUNE 1, 1906. **CR.**

June 1, 1905. Balance		$1,645 00
July, 1905. Interest	$28 67	
January, 1906. Interest.	28 00	
April 12, 1906. Deposited for Building Fund	5 00	
April 12, 1906. Deposited for Mite-box.	1 00	
		62 67
		$1,707 67

of Contributions

	Received by Treasurer.	Reported by Correspondents.
.....	$17 00	$24 65
.....	2 16	59 83
.....	10 00	10 00
.....	26 91	
.....	37 00	8 00
.....	5 00	80 90
.....	1 00	
.....	7 30	
.....	75 00	50 00
.....	9 00	
.....	2 80	
.....	25	
.....		5 00
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.....	1 00	8 60
.....	5 00	
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.....	8 00	5 00
.....	6 50	4 50
.....	23	
.....	352 64	
.....	6 00	24 00
.....	2 50	7 37
.....	9 00	
.....	263 50	235 24
.....	25 50	70 60
.....	3 00	
.....	1 00	
.....	2 00	34 65
.....	130 94	83 65
.....	5 00	
.....	46 00	
.....	3,261 64	2,786 41
.....	54 78	37 91
.....	15 00	6 00
.....	147 75	134 50
.....	12 00	14 00
.....	10 00	41 80
.....	12 00	
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.....	4 50	24 90

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club, and under the care of Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to Mrs. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

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In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season on the fourth Monday of each month from October to April, inclusive, at the Diocesan House, 29 Lafayette Place, New York City, 11 A.M. There will be two exceptions to this arrangement. The fourth Monday in December being Christmas Eve, the meeting will be postponed until Thursday, December 27th, at the same hour. The fourth Monday in March falling in Holy Week, the meeting will be changed to Monday, March 18th, at the same hour.

The dates of these meetings will be announced by postal.

Extracts from Letters

A kindergarten student writes:

"I want to thank you for the books and magazines you sent me. I am sure they will prove very useful. In fact, the 'Occupation' book has saved me time already, and when a girl works one-half of the daylight hours in order to study the other half, she finds that time is indeed money."

A recipient in New York State writes:

"Do you remember sending me works on psychology two years ago? I completed the course in psychology that year. Last year a Massachusetts girl used the books, and this year I loaned them to a little orphan girl, who is trying to obtain kindergarten training."

A clergyman in Virginia writes:

"It seems to me that there is no phase of our Church work more important than yours. In very many cases it must be true that you confer a very real gift of Light.

"To tell you adequately what your work has done for me would be to write a history of all the study and thought side of my ministry. Through you I have been able to keep in touch with the larger world of thought outside my own parish; through you I have been able to feel myself not only a citizen of my own Virginia, but also a citizen of the world."

A recipient in North Carolina writes:

"Your postal stating that you had shipped a box of reading matter was received, and the box referred to arrived here last evening. In behalf of those who will receive and enjoy the contents of the box, I thank you and the Church Periodical Club. It is with personal pleasure that I note the stories embodying Church teachings.

"If more people who are blessed with an abundance of this world's goods could realize the need of those who have little, surely there would not be in this day and age localities where there is such a lack of literature."

A recipient in Texas writes:

"A box has just arrived by express, full of books, tracts, booklets, etc. Please accept most grateful thanks for such remembrance of this our half-pioneer section of the world. Soon I hope to write you of our summer's work, and extended interest in nearby communities. Thanks multiplied for your 'deeds of kindness' to this 'pleasant land'! almost the antipode, in culture and education, of the East. Now, largely through your work, is the darkness becoming Light."

A lay-reader in Minnesota writes:

"Allow me to thank you for the many tracts and catechisms that you have sent me. Nearly all have been used, particularly the Church catechisms. Last Wednesday I presented seven for Confirmation: two of these were gained through the use of C. P. C. literature. I shall soon start another class for Confirmation.

"Allow me to thank you again for all your kindness for myself and for those who receive the printed matter."

A clergyman in Colorado writes:

"Your kind letter with the package of fifty copies of the 'Kingdom of God' reached me this week. I thank you very much for this fine supply of helpful literature.

"I want to tell you of the splendid results we have seen from our 'campaign' in which you so kindly co-operated. Fifteen adults have been baptized in the last three weeks. Twenty-nine candidates were presented to the Bishop for Confirmation about ten days ago—twenty-one in our Mission here and eight at the two Mission points in the country.

"The pamphlets you have sent have been most helpful and instructive, and have done excellent work in their silent preaching, especially at the Mission points, where my visits for preparation of candidates must necessarily be very short and far between."

A clergyman writes from Nevada:

"I am writing to enlist your help and sympathy in a matter which I feel will be very dear to you. You know what a mining camp is, and while this, said to be the most wonderful camp in the world, is free from the lawlessness found in many camps, yet there are over fifty saloons open every day in the week, and every saloon has its gambling hell attached. There are also dance houses and other snares and temptations to entice the unguarded. There are hundreds of young men here, splendid fellows, the pick of nearly every state in the Union. Some of the more wealthy go to the club, but what are we to do for the many who cannot afford this?

"There are two rooms attached to the Masonic Hall which we are anxious to fit up as Free Reading Rooms. We want to have them carpeted and made homelike, supplied with games and good, wholesome reading matter. Surely there are mothers there who feel for the boys out here, and who will help to make their lives happier, and their danger less.

"I buried one poor boy on Saturday; his only relative here is a brother. My heart ached for the poor mother, so far away. But he had many kind friends; for the miner's heart is like the metal he takes from the earth—pure gold.

"Will you not ask the good ladies of the C. P. C. to help me? Send anything to help. Everything is so expensive here. We are holding services every Sunday in the Masonic Hall, and many there. The attendance is most encouraging, and especially encouraging in the interest taken by the men. I have a Sunday-school and I asked some time ago for papers, but none are coming. The Bishop calls this the most blessed work of his life."

A missionary in Alaska writes:

"The steamer to-day brought five sacks of magazines, books and pictures, which, from several cards and notes on wrappers, I

gather were kindly sent by you, and I want at once to send our most ardent thanks for this very generous expression of your interest.

"After a long and trying winter, after inexcusably infrequent mails, after being accustomed to insufficient numbers of magazines to meet the demand, after all this, what a ten-fold blessing it is to receive this great lump of interest and encouragement! Do accept our appreciation, and also the thanks of all the men whose hearts will be gladdened by your donation. You will be interested to hear that a great part of the magazines I packed in sacks, and, together with some I had on hand, will start them on their way to Bettles to-morrow. There they will be distributed to the men of all that district, and the probabilities are that until next year many will receive nothing else to read. If anyone inquires of you whether we can use still more, please tell them that we *can*. This whole district is coming more and more to the position where they look to us for their reading matter. There is a limited supply in town, and while it lasts magazines can be purchased at one dollar apiece. But this supply is soon exhausted, and very often we not only have the only reading matter in camp, but also receive it first. Do, therefore, keep up your interest, and send us reading matter whenever it is possible."

A missionary in Mexico writes:

"We have now a thousand first-rate books, and beside the people who use the place as a Free Reading Room, there are always about a hundred subscribing members, who can take books out, and pay 25 cents (Mexican) toward our book account, and toward the young librarian's wage. A number of people coming and going, in this land of transients subscribe for only one month, and then pass on. But their places are always taken by others. Of course, they are people in the hotels, and I can promise you that our library is a great thing to relieve the blankness of life in a Mexican hotel. The other day a woman came in from a ranch bringing along a bright looking lad of fourteen. The boy had been out with the peons so long that he looked more Mexican than American. When they found the library I wish you could have seen their faces.

he woman had a smile she could not lose, and the boy was spell-
ound. The library is delightfully 'housed' in the front room of
ie house. It doesn't always lead to the Chapel, but it does some-
mes, and always it is a blessing."

A missionary in China writes:

"Your work is done quietly, and without ever being noticed
uch by the public in general. I trust that we, who are the ones
o receive the benefit, are sufficiently loud in our thanks, from time
o time, to convince you that your work is greatly appreciated.
Iany a weary hour has been made to pass lightly and pleasantly
hrough the papers that, except for your kindness and generosity,
e should never have seen. Whether we are able satisfactorily to
xpress our thanks or not, I for one wish to make this present
ffort."

A correspondent of the Church Periodical Club has received
letter from one of those to whom she sends books and papers.
The writer lives on a ranch in Montana, and distributes the read-
ng matter sent her by the Club. Her husband is totally blind, and
n frail health. She says:

"One of those whom we have helped lives where she seldom
ees a woman's face. Her husband lets us have all the wood we
eed. Wood is getting very scarce around this country, and when
e went for the first load, I had not seen her for months, and she
ad written all the fall to know why I did not come for wood.
did not have time to write, and at last she wrote me such a piti-
ul letter telling me if I did not go soon and cheer her up she
ould not bear it, as their garden had been a failure, and the
hickens, too, and she was sick and down-hearted. Well, when I
ent I took them lots of garden truck. A neighbor who had a
arge garden had given us more than we need, so we divided with
hem; but as I began hauling things from the wagon she said, 'Oh,
thank you, they are nice; but books, books, books! Have you
rought me any books?' just with that hungry look in her eyes
raving for reading matter. Just then she laid her hand on the
ack, and felt that it was filled with books, and said, 'Oh, God
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ARTICLE II.

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right down and read it over and over.' I could not sleep all ht for thinking of that young, lonely girl wife, and what this nan had told me, but for some reason I never thought of books. ıppose I was worried, for, as a rule, books are my first thought strangers; but next morning when I was getting them an early akfast, my husband said, 'Don't forget to send that young girl ı of books, as no one may come from there again this winter.' elt badly enough to think I had quite forgotten, or really had thought I could send them, and how good it seemed in him think so quickly of what would perhaps be the means of making ny lonely hours pass happily. I packed two large sacks and ed that woman to be sure and send one of her men over; they e ten miles farther north than this woman. I sent her a note, , telling her if she ever could to come and see us, but to send more books if she could. Don't you think it would please some the kind friends if they knew that some of the books and papers y sent are making that lonely little wife bright this winter? ıd then think of some mother's lonely boy up there getting those pers and books after the girl has read them, for I asked her to ss them on; and don't you know how much it is to us to feel have the power (through your kindness) of giving so much asure?

"A little child from town sent me out word that she was sick d asked me to please send her in two eggs and a nice book. She only six years old, a little ranch child, from near here, whose ther has moved into town for the winter so the children can to school. I sent them to her by a cowboy who was riding rough. I have books for each one of our Church children and ıers, thanks to you.

"We hope to have school about two or three miles from here xt winter, then I shall start a library for children and grown lks.

"I hope you are not getting tired of all this. I feel some- w you will like to know how much good the books do. First we ad them, then we lend or give them."

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ARTICLE II.

Object.

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ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents a General Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

II.

Committees.

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4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

OF BUSINESS.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

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What it Is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals d books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to pro-re good literature in any other way.

What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when ad, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for em, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such riodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once ted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly placed. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, d sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each ne, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as e needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer ooks, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to chools and Reading Rooms.

III.. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

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From June 1st, 1906, to June 1st, 1907.

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total reports received from 48 of the 69 Dioceses and Missionary Districts interested in the work.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week or month by Diocesan Branches	15,682
No. of Current Periodicals sent each month from Central Office	1,055
No. of Bibles, Testaments, Psalms and Gospels	905
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without music	2,717
No. of Books, Theological and Secular	22,781
No. of Tracts and Catechisms	6,070
No. of Odd Magazines and Papers	231,053
No. of Christmas, Easter and Sunday School Cards and Calendars	54,353
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols and Music in Books and Sheets	6,704
No. of Pictures, Games, etc	16,991
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not noted	1,227
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by Freight from Central Office	278
No. of Boxes and Packages sent by Express from Central Office	445
No. of Packages sent by Mail from Central Office	6,814
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	5,049
No. of Letters and Postals sent from Central Office	6,426
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Clergy	1,463
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Laity	5,121
No. of Hospitals, Life Saving Stations, Light Houses, Reading Rooms, etc.	332

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donations of books, papers, cards, calendars, etc., to the following firms: Messrs. R. W. Crothers & Co., E. P. Dutton & Co., Edwin S. Gorham, and Thomas Whittaker.

The American News Co., The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society, The Church Kalendar Co., The New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society, The Outlook Co., and Providence Lithograph Co.

Also to the publishers of *The Churchman, The Southern Churchman, The Holy Cross Magazine* and *The Spirit of Missions* for free copies sent to the C. P. C., and to senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

Report of the Recording Secretary

The Church Periodical Club has completed another year of work without any events of great importance to be noted.

The kindness of both old and new friends in sending money and reading matter is gratefully acknowledged, as also the like gifts received from a number of firms, whose names appear on another page.

Some of the friends of the Church Periodical Club have passed away since the last Report was printed: Mrs. M. D. Hancock, Correspondent, of Nebraska; Mrs. Rochester, Librarian of St. Luke's Church, Rochester, N. Y., Diocese of Western New York; Miss F. D. Davis, Librarian of Christ Church, Meadville, Pa., Diocese of Pittsburg. As these faithful workers leave the scene of their earthly labors, others are needed to fill the vacant ranks.

The number of Travelling Libraries is increasing, twenty-one having been sent from the office up to present date, many of them memorials. They have been traced in their travels by the indefatigable efforts of the Committee in charge. A number have also been sent from different Dioceses. All the letters received testify to the almost unlimited good that these libraries accomplish.

The seven meetings of the year have been addressed by the following speakers:

1. The Rev. Hugh Burleson, from North Dakota. He told of the packages of literature made up and sent to the different grain elevators, and there distributed to the farmers who assembled from miles around; each package being delivered with the injunction to "pass it on."

2. Bishop Van Buren, who spoke of Porto Rico as a land where the climate is "June all winter and July all summer." There the physical needs are few, ice being one of the chief necessities. The Bishop said that formerly the few hospitals were more of a disgrace than a help, but now our Church is building one at Ponce, where the C. P. C. can send pictures, as also to a leper colony on the island, and find a warm welcome for their gifts in both places.

3. Mrs. Wetmore, who spoke of the school started by her late husband, the Rev. Thomas C. Wetmore, in the mountains of North Carolina. The C. P. C. had helped this work, and the people were most interested in the picture papers sent them. At this same meeting, Mrs. Price, also from North Carolina, asked specially for a Sunday-school library—a second-hand one would be very acceptable.

4. Mrs. White, from Japan, who spoke of the Christians in that land being very lonely, and of how much pleasure they derived from reading matter. She described the heathen literature as very meagre, and often degraded. The second speaker was the Rev. Everett Smith, the Educational Secretary, who told of his former work in the Rockies and of the demand from there of really good literature, and not "trash."

5. Deaconess Carter, from Alaska, who told of the work at Skagway, and of how much good the C. P. C. had done by sending literature to the hospital there. All along the Yukon River there are logging camps, where the packages of magazines, etc., are received with the greatest eagerness. The men who go out to the camps carry packages with them, and often comes the message, "All we can say is, Thank you!" Deaconess Carter expects to start a new Mission, "St. John's-in-the-Wilderness," eighty miles from any settlement.

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Report of the "Founder's Endowment Fund" 1907

The Treasurer of the Founder's Endowment Fund presents the following report:

31 shares of American Express stock, yielding an annual income of $368.28.

Amount in American Savings Bank	$3,000 00
Amount in Union Square Savings Bank, May 10th	189 25
From Miss E. D. Parsons, Philadelphia, May 13th	31 00
Balance June 1st	$3,220 25

We are still far from the desired $15,000, the interest of which would so relieve the burden of necessary office expenses. Is no one constrained to make a Thank-offering to this Fund? No sums are too small to be gratefully received.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINIGKE,
Treasurer.

420 Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, N. Y.

Treasure

DR. **CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOUNT**

To Salaries	$2,146 67		
Rent	670 00		
Office Expenses: Postage, printing, wages, etc	956 55		
Freight and Cartage	250 65		
Ice	7 90		
Receipt Books for Treasurer	5 00		
Printing Annual Report	161 00		
Addenda to Annual Report	17 00		
Postal Cards	27 25		
Treasurer: Postage and stationery	27 50		
		$4,26	
Specials:—			
Books	$150 00		
Catechisms, Tracts, etc	110 65		
Bibles	29 92		
Christmas and Easter Cards	40 20		
Books for Fort Niagara	10 00		
Binding Books	10 00		
Subscriptions for Periodicals	71 15		
For Deaconess Parxhill	10 00		
For Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	7 00		
For Travelling Libraries	71 22		
For Tokio, Japan	10 00		
For Hankow, China	10 00		
For 1,000 Slips	2 25		
For Diocesan House Expense	5 00		
For St. James's Church	1 00		
For Clothes for Child	6 00		
For Founder's Endowment Fund	31 00		
For Exchange on Checks	2 40		
		$ 5	
		4,8	
Balance		2,6	
		$7,4	

DR. **MEMORANDUM OF ACCOUNT IN UNION S**

January 16, 1907. Interest withdrawn	$
June 1, 1907. Balance	1,6
	$1,6

Report

MRS. R. H. OAKLEY, JUNE 1, 1906, TO JUNE 1, 1907. **CR.**

June 1, 1906. Balance		$2,199 29
By Annual Subscriptions	$ 709 50	
Donations	3,031 60	
For Salaries	255 00	
For Express and Postage	150 25	
Sale of old Books, Periodicals, etc	145 55	
Refund for Ice	3 95	
		$4,295 85
Specials:—		
Books, Theological, Educational, etc	83 29	
Bibles	40 25	
Christmas and Easter Cards	43 25	
Christmas Toys and Candy	7 00	
Subscriptions to Periodicals	41 67	
As Secretary may designate	27 45	
Pay School Book debt of $200	10 00	
Literature for Fort Leavenworth Prison	5 00	
Memory of Rev. Mr. Clairborn	1 00	
For Travelling Libraries	69 71	
For Tokio, Japan	10 00	
For Hankow, China	10 00	
For Fort Niagara	10 00	
For Mining and Lumber Camps	10 00	
For Clothes for Child	6 00	
For Founder's Endowment Fund	31 00	
For Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	7 00	
For Miss Jervey's Memory	10 00	
For Mrs. Mary Schrugam's Memory	15 00	
From Shredded Wheat Luncheon	62 05	
From Mite-box	11 82	
		$ 511 49
Interest from Endowment Fund	$ 398 97	
Interest from Savings Bank	57 91	
		456 88
		$7,463 51

SAVINGS BANK, JUNE 1, 1906, TO JUNE 1, 1907. **CR.**

June 1, 1906. Balance	$1,606 00
" " " Deposited	4 68
July 1, 1906. Interest	28 00
January 1, 1907. Interest	29 91
	$1,668 59

Report of Contributions

	Received by Treasurer.	Reported Correspond
Alabama	$12 00	$4
Albany	25 00	2
Asheville	—	—
California	14 36	—
Central New York	22 00	
Central Pennsylvania	25 00	2
Chicago	—	—
Colorado	75	4
Connecticut	12 85	4
Delaware	6 00	—
Dallas	3 70	—
East Carolina	—	—
Easton	—	2
Florida	14 00	—
Georgia	—	—
Harrisburg	—	1
Idaho	2 50	—
Illinois	—	—
Indiana	—	—
Iowa	—	—
Kansas	5 00	—
Kentucky	—	
Louisiana	25	—
Long Island	143 12	—
Los Angeles	—	5
Maine	—	
Maryland	8 00	
Massachusetts	256 00	41
Michigan	27 50	6
Minnesota	7 00	—
Mississippi	1 00	
Missouri	1 00	2
Newark	138 95	11
New Hampshire	2 25	—
New Jersey	3 00	
New York	3,592 75	3,01
North Carolina	44 27	1
Nova Scotia	50	—
Ohio	21 00	2
Pennsylvania	172 75	28
Pittsburg	3 00	1
Rhode Island	10 00	8
South Carolina	10 00	1
South Dakota	50	—
Southern Florida	—	
Southern Ohio	5 00	2
Southern Virginia	9 50	—
Tennessee	5 00	
Texas	2 00	1
Vermont	6 00	—
Virginia	12 00	1
Washington	—	—
Washington, D. C.	5 00	3
Western Branch	5 00	—
Western Massachusetts	—	—
Western New York	17 80	2
West Texas	—	—
West Virginia	—	—
Porto Rico	2 50	—
Wisconsin	12 00	—

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to the Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

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Contributor's Duty

In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season on the fourth Monday of each month from October to April, inclusive, at the Diocesan House, 416 Lafayette Street, New York City.

Extracts from Letters Received

"They say 'all things come to those who wait!' My sisters and I have been waiting and hoping to have a neighborhood library here for several years. We talked about it again and again. And now comes your letter to open the way. C—— is a little village of about 150 inhabitants, in the midst of a farming population. The people are poor; the situation, in a word or two, is this: a generation or more of reliance upon one crop, and neglect of other crops, has resulted in poor land, which means poor crops now, and poor people. We are the only family who have any magazines or books to speak of, and we have been lending everything that came to our house. It is not an unusual thing on some cold, wintry day when the snow is falling to have someone ride up on horseback with a note, 'Can't you lend us something to read?' and what we have has gone to the farmhouses within seven miles in every direction. You, perhaps, have no idea of the lonely lives of the farming people, and reading is the one diversion. In the village is the church, the school-house, four storekeepers, two blacksmiths, a doctor, a mill for grinding corn into meal for the farmers; so you see C—— is the centre for material things. A library here in the village would be a great force for good. My sisters and I have had visions of a building, opened every day in the week, where everyone coming to the village could drop in to get a book, and read. This room would be a social centre, with a cheery fireplace on a cold day. My sisters and I would be librarians, and one of us would be always there. We have even looked at plans for a small building. I have a small piece of land for the site. A library at C—— would probably reach 400 or 500 people, and would meet an unfilled need in the lives of the farmers. The library could begin in our house; we have a room with shelves, enough to hold 100 or more books. I shall be glad for all the books and magazines you can get for us, as a start, for a 'really true' library, and then we shall grow into the new library building, and the vision will become a reality, and I shall celebrate the reality by unfolding to the breeze at that momentous time a beautiful

American flag, costing $25, given to me by a friend because I am member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. I ha often wondered what use I could make of this flag, and now I ha decided—to have a flag-pole near the library building. It will be glorious day when the school children shall sing 'The Star-Spangl Banner,' and the flag is unfurled and the colors 'run up.' Now, to books to begin the library. The people here all like to read; course, all popular novels are much liked. Then the children li all kinds of story books—and there are a good many children in t neighborhood. Your letter is an inspiration—it seems a direct a swer to our wish; it gives the opening, or, rather, it opens the do to the library. I am quite 'on the house-top' with joy to-day, as really see the 'Neighborhood Library' taking shape. A thousa thanks for your lovely letter."

A missionary writes last January:

"I am just home from my two weeks' trip through the (lo ging) camps, and I leave again within a few days. No doubt yo blessed work brings cheer and joy to thousands of friendless, i lated and lonely people, but if you could have seen the cheer a happiness that these eyes of mine have seen this past fortnight, y would indeed be thankful to suffer the hardships and privatio necessary. For more than two weeks past, and for months otl years, I have lived out among these men—I have slept with th on their beds of boughs, and in their rough, 'never-washed' blanke I have walked with them in their work in the forests, and I ha sat at their humble fare, and existed upon boiled tea with no m or sugar, beans thrice daily, and occasionally a beef stew (this b is generally kept in the cook's bed to keep from freezing); dou nuts made from molasses, without sugar, milk or eggs (and tl are good); soda biscuits, and raw pickled tripe, eaten from dis of tin and great tin basins with iron knives and forks that alm pull the skin off your lips if the fork happens to touch your mou But never have I been so happy, and I am only home now for t or three days to rest a bit, and go back with more supplies. We to take at least half a barrel of reading matter into every car We have stereopticon service, over 100 views, beautifully color on the Life of Christ, and many hymn slides, and with a strong

lantern I can produce a fine, clear picture twenty feet square. Then we have the best talking machine that could be bought. For each man we have a Christmas card and if possible a gift—a pipe or red handkerchief, or small comfort bag, or piece of red flannel for the throat, sometimes candy, and these men are happier than any children I have ever seen at any festival. We nearly always have one or two choristers (soloists from choirs), and these little lads win the men everywhere. At our recent trip we had a cornet and violin solo. If I could only describe to you the scene of these rough fellows, clasping their Christmas gifts in their hands, poring over with the greatest zeal and pleasure the papers and magazines while our concert was going on; and then during the stereopticon service, sitting in rapt attention, and when the boys' beautiful voices rang out in the darkness as some well-known hymn was thrown on the screen (tacked up on one side of a log shanty), there were few eyes among all these men which were not filled with tears! If you only could see it all, you would realize how much happiness could be brought into the lives of these friendless and neglected men at very little expense. These men are our neighbors, here at our very door, and the Church all these years has 'passed by on the other side.' When I first began my work here, three years ago, the Church would not send me—my expenses were paid by the W. C. T. U. Now, with the bishop, we are really doing things worth while."

From one of the Southern States comes the following:

"Of all the kindly deeds done in your office of the C. P. C. none could be more appreciated than the gift of books which arrived this morning. So well chosen, they are doubly acceptable. Just as I was beginning to feel that I was of so little service in this quiet little town, I chanced to see a group of many young men and boys in a restaurant, where they had assembled because there was no other 'loafing place' to be found. And as the place was by no means one that could elevate or advantage them, I thought my own 'den' could serve them more fittingly if they would avail themselves of it. So I let it be generally known that all young people would be welcome every day from 3 to 10 P.M. to use my books, enjoy my pictures, and play the simple games which the limited space allows.

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Books are very welcome to the missionary, especially
eventy-two miles from a railroad, and sees his bishop
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wilderness of toiling, scattered people. It goes to one Churchwoman who has only been to one service in seven years, though she was reared with the privileges of a daily service, which she frequently attended with a governess. Now she is 100 miles from the Church's services. The good people who send out their papers little know whom and where their effort is reaching. Thank you most heartily for your continued interest in us, for we enjoy everything that is sent. My husband begs me to thank you most warmly. He would much like the *Standard* to be continued."

A teacher writes:

"Please accept my thanks for all the nice magazines you have sent me. I am enjoying them so much, and I certainly do appreciate your kindness in sending them. Everyone here in this home has enjoyed them. One of the little girls said: 'Oh, isn't it a pleasure and a treat to have all these nice magazines to read?' I must tell you, too, about another lady that reads them. She is an old lady, and a widow; her three sons are grown, and away from home. She, with an old servant, lives all alone. I don't think I ever saw anyone enjoy reading more than she does. She lives right near us, and as fast as she reads one magazine she comes up and gets another; I think they are the cause of many pleasant hours to her that would pass very slowly and be very lonely ones for her if it were not for reading. I want to thank you and the Church Periodical Club for the pleasure you have given me, and, while I don't want to be selfish, I will be glad to have some reading matter whenever my turn comes. I know you have so many to think of that you must be kept busy."

Another recipient writes:

"The barrel of reading matter you so kindly sent me has arrived safely, and I am so glad, so very glad to have so many good books and papers. I was needing something very much for distribution. I will give them where they will be greatly appreciated, and where they will be a comfort and help to those who love to read and have not the means to buy for themselves. I do think this work of the C. P. C. is the greatest help and blessing to many. It has been

more to me and my family than I can in any way express. With my husband, an invalid now for many years, and with my children growing up, it has been the source of great good and pleasure, having good literature all these years. Our library of bound and paper books has not grown much since the last books from you, but they have been well read, fixed and mended up, and read again, and I am especially glad to have the ones you have just sent me; they will make quite an addition to our library, and are all new, not a single one like we have. Last year we had so little for the Christmas tree, and so few pieces and things were sent me to be made into little gifts for the tree, that if it had not happened a friend had sent me a five-dollar bill for Christmas we could not have had the tree at all; but the spending of the money could have in no way given me so much pleasure. In looking over the house and seeing so many old-looking faces where they should have been young and bright, and knowing how little pleasure there is in life for them, and the miserable homes they come from, and how much the tree meant to them each year, I could not but think how little it took to make so many children happy. We also had a few little presents for the inmates of the Poor House, which made all the old people very happy."

The wife of a missionary in Cuba writes:

"All of the teachers of the Brook School are away on their vacation, and a Cuban lady, who speaks no English, is in charge of the children at the 'Home' for the summer, so my husband and I have to attend to all English correspondence. I have delayed writing for several days because I wanted to be sure about all the magazines. The arrangement was that the teachers were to have them first, then they were to come to us, and after we had read them they were to be put on the shelves of the reading room. I cannot tell you how much we have enjoyed these magazines. It is very difficult to buy any English reading matter in this little town. An American lady told me the other day that they had paid thirty cents for a magazine three years old. We try to have the magazines enjoyed by others also as much as possible. There are so many Jamaicans here, and many of them are quite intelligent, and when they are

sick or injured we take some of the magazines to the hospital, and they are very thankful to get them. The teachers are all very fond of reading, and, as life is rather 'slow' for young ladies down here, they say they 'simply devour' the magazines as soon as they arrive."

A missionary in Mexico writes:

"The Christmas cards came to me a few days ago in excellent condition. I most warmly thank you for them, and shall use them all in a way to bring very great happiness to my many people, and more especially to the children. On Sunday next I have a special children's service for English-speaking children. I shall then give to each child one of your beautiful cards. The privations which our American mothers and children must endure in this country are distressing. There is very little to brighten their lives, and very much to harden and oppress. Their homes are generally like cellars, without light and air. Our great Church does well to send them some good cheer, and open up to them the way of hope. Be assured that God will not forget your great kindness. You have often helped me personally, for which I thank you. I have long been a missionary in the out-fields, and for the most of this time some one of your number has sent me *The Churchman.*"

he Constitution of the C. P. C.

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Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the Officers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from October to April, inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

The Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in October. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place monthly from October to May inclusive, at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, provided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular Meeting.

By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint Special Committees, when authorized by the Club, and call Special Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. A Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that Office.

3. The General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Club, issue notices of, and prepare a Report for, all Meetings, including the Annual Report with statistics.

The General Secretary shall also have the oversight of the work done in the Central Office, and authority to appoint a substitute to fulfil such duties during her absence.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all Meetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual Report, with such assistance as she may ask for at the April Meeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees of their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the same in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, and make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall render a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Monthly Meeting, and prepare a Report for the Annual Meeting.

6. The Treasurer of the Endowment Fund shall have charge of that Fund, and invest the same, subject to the approval of the Advisory Committee. She shall report to the General and Executive Meetings.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

VI.

Order of Business.

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Prayers.
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Treasurer.

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Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secreta
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VII.

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall be a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them regular contributions of literature and money:

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same:

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address:

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish:

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure," by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

Diocesan Correspondents

No. 1—*New York*
MISS AGNES LATHERS
1 W. 94th St., New York — 36 Librarians

No. 1*a*—*New York*
MRS. FRANK SHEPPERD
2579 Bainbridge Ave., Fordham, N. Y. — 29 Librarians

No. 2—*Chicago. Western Branch*
MRS. CHARLOTTE E. STARBUCK
6 Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill. — 22 Librarians

No. 3—*Connecticut*
MISS E. C. ST. JOHN
114 Washington St., Hartford, Conn. — 12 Librarians

No. 4—*Massachusetts*
MISS M. DEC. WARD
415 Beacon St., Boston, Mass. — 51 Librarians

No. 5—*Long Island*
MRS. OTTO HEINIGKE
420 Ovington Ave., Bay Ridge, N. Y. — 75 Librarians

No. 6—*Fond du Lac. Western Branch*

7—*Central New York*
MISS MARY E. WOOD
300 N. Washington St., Rome, N. Y. 27 Librarians

8—*South Carolina*
MISS EMMA GILCHRIST
12 Bee St., Charleston, S. C. 12 Librarians

9—*Albany*
MISS MARY MILLER
125 State St., Albany, N. Y. 16 Librarians

10—*Pittsburg*
MRS. JAMES M. BARRETT
Beaver, Penn. 18 Librarians

11—*Rhode Island*
MRS. HOWARD HOPPIN
86 Brown St., Providence, R. I. 25 Librarians

12—*Springfield. Western Branch*
MRS. D. W. DRESSER
543 Glenwood Ave., Springfield, Ill.

13—*Tennessee*
MRS. R. W. RHAMES
543 N. 4th St., Memphis, Tenn. 14 Librarians

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15—*Minnesota. Western Branch*
MISS FRANCES DENSMORE
Red Wing, Minn. 11 Librarians

16*a*—*Maryland*
MRS. M. P. WEST
2441 N. Charles St., Baltimore, Md. 14 Librarians

16*b*—*Washington* 12 Librarians

No. 17—*North Carolina*
MISS REBECCA CAMERON
Box 32, Hillsborough, N. C. — 17 Librarians

No. 18—*Pennsylvania*
MISS E. C. DILLINGHAM
2206 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Penn. — 48 Librarians

No. 19—*Georgia* — 5 Librarians

No. 20—*Western Michigan*
MRS. P. J. WESTOVER
322 N. James St., Ludington, Mich. — 1 Librarian

No. 21—*Western Texas* — 1 Librarian

No. 22—*Michigan*
MISS DELIA WARRINER
37 E. Canfield Ave., Detroit, Mich. — 16 Librarians

No. 23—*New Mexico*
MRS. F. M. JOHN
903 San Antonio St., El Paso, Texas.

No. 24—*Montana*

No. 25—*Southern Ohio*
MISS ANNA PHILLIPS
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612 E. Broadway, Newton, Kan. 4 Librarians

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MARY A. PRATT
Central Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

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W. N. MCDUNNOUGH
Rectory, Shelburne, Vt. 9 Librarians

Lake 1 Librarian

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BLANCHE L. METCALFE
rden St., Bath, Me. 9 Librarians

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W. H. SMITH
Snuggery," Parkersburg, W. Va. 5 Librarians

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Thonotosassa, Fla. 9 Librarians

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aurel St., Concord, N. H. 4 Lib

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s. A. E. DOISY

W. 4th St., Covington, Ky. 1 Lib

orth Dakota

s. JOHN OWEN

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Eighteenth Annual Report of the

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"The Church Periodical Club"

What it Is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

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List of Officers

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tal reports received from 48 of the 69 Dioceses and Missionary Districts interested in the work.

Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week th by Diocesan Branches	13,2
Periodicals sent each month from Central Office	1,0

The American News Co., The Church Kalendar Co., The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society, The International Art Publishing Co., The New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society, The Outlook Co., and The Providence Lithograph Co.

Also to the publishers of *The Churchman, The Southern Churchman, The Holy Cross Magazine* and *The Spirit of Missions* for free copies sent to the C. P. C., and to senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

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New York, Diocese of New York; Miss E. C. Dillingham, Correspondent of the Diocese of Pennsylvania; Mrs. W. B. Hait, Jr., Librarian of Chapel of the Intercession, New York, Diocese of New York. Such helpers will be sorely missed.

At the last meeting of the Executive Committee, held in May, 1908, our President notified the members that she could not allow her name to be placed on the list for re-election. The notice was received with the greatest regret, for her clear judgment, earnest work and great interest in the Church Periodical Club will be a loss indeed. Her successor may be assured of a sincere welcome and hearty co-operation in all her efforts for the well-being of the work.

Perhaps one of the most important events of the past year was the meeting held in Richmond, October, 1907, at the time of the General Convention.

Through the courtesy of the Rector, the meeting was held in the Church of All Saints, and the members and friends welcomed there. Bishop Olmsted, of Central New York, spoke of the consecration of the work, well known to him, as a friend of the Church Periodical Club for many years. Archdeacon Stuck, of Alaska, and another of the home missionaries, told of the many and varied needs supplied by the Club in their different fields. One felt in listening that there was hardly a height to which the work could not attain if pursued with zeal tempered with discretion.

Is it too much to hope that every parish in the land will take an interest in the Church Periodical Club? May it not go hand in hand with the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, supplying the needs of the mind, as the Auxiliary supplies the needs of the body? To accomplish this we need the co-operation of the librarians. We need one in every parish who will arouse interest among the people, and direct the interest when aroused; one who will not weary in making

known the needs of the work and the best way to ensure goo
sults. Such a librarian will impress upon the individual dono
importance of sending a magazine regularly, with postage pre
and explain how current magazines, if sent to the office, in
more work for the hard-pressed clerks and extra money for
age. She will tell the people of the necessity of funds to car
the work; for salaries of clerks, for postage and freight, and re
them that the packages sent to the office cannot be forwarded
out expense, and therefore beg them to supplement their re
matter with some money to send it on. She will encourag
donors to write to their recipients as mutual friends, not m
machines to give and take reading matter, and she will do
her power to keep before herself and others the motive o
Church Periodical Club: to give of one's abundance to those
are in need of good literature. Surely there are many w
who can and will do this, and who will desire no reward but
of the good servant who has been faithful over a few things.

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary

The Report of the Travelling Libraries

The immense benefit derived from the Travelling Libraries is beginning to be appreciated, as is shown by the increase of new ones during the past year; ten from June 1st, 1907, to June 1st, 1908, making a total to the above date of thirty-one libraries in circulation.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN M. WILLIAMS,
Committee.

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Printing Annual Report.....	
Postal Cards, slips, etc.....	
Treasurer: Postage and stationery....	
***Specials*:—**	
Catechisms, Tracts and Books.....	
Bibles	
Christmas and Easter Cards.....	
Binding Books.....	
Subscriptions for Periodicals.....	
For Deaconess Drant.....	
For Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner.....	
For Travelling Libraries.....	
For Shanghai, China.....	
For Hankow, China.....	
For Stationery	
For Building Fund.....	
Magazines for St. Paul's School.....	
Bishop Payne Divinity-school.....	
United Offering.....	
Special for General Secretary.....	
Crippled Boy, Harbow Island, Bahamas...	
Carpenter's work in Office.....	
Special, Christmas.....	
Diocesan House Expense.....	
Founder's Endowment Fund.....	
Rev. Z. B. Roberts, Africa.....	
Miss M. E. Wood's work in China.....	
Rev. Thos. Beeson, Christmas distribution	
Lepers in Porto Rico.....	
Exchange on Checks.....	
Balance	

Report

MRS. R. H. OAKLEY, JUNE 1, 1907, TO JUNE 1, 1908. **CR.**

June 1, 1907. Balance		$2,616 20
By Annual Subscriptions	$ 234 25	
Donations	3,097 86	
Specials:—		
Express and Postage	218 87	
Books, Theological, Educational, etc	35 85	
Bibles	15 00	
Christmas and Easter Cards	19 00	
Christmas Boxes	15 00	
Subscriptions to Periodicals	39 50	
For Secretary	10 00	
For Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	36 00	
For Rev. Z. B. Roberts, Africa	1 00	
For Christmas, 1908	55 00	
For Old Books and Papers	93 80	
For Travelling Libraries	60 24	
For Salaries—clerks	262 50	
For Deaconess Drant	20 00	
For Rev. T. Beeson's Christmas work	50 00	
For Refund for Ice	3 57	
For Miss Wood's work in China	5 00	
For United Offering	7 50	
For Shanghai, China	10 00	
For Hankow, China	15 00	
For Building Fund	2 00	
For Picture Rolls for Indians	5 00	
For Bishop Payne Divinity-school	10 00	
For Magazines for St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville	9 00	
For Easter Cards for Navy	10 00	
For Endowment Fund	29 00	
For Rent	5 00	
Refund on Salary	10 00	
Refund on Stationery	2 15	
From Bank at Meetings	6 00	
Lepers at Porto Rico	3 00	
United Offering, 1910	5 00	
For Cripple in Bahama Island	5 00	
Mite-Box Offering, 1911	8 00	
Drawn from Savings Bank for Assistant's Salary	150 00	
Interest from Endowment Fund	368 28	
Interest from Savings Bank	58 37	
Drawn from Savings Bank for United Offering	26 82	
Interest allowed by Bank "Metropolis"	18 09	
		$5,035 65
		$7,651 85

SAVINGS BANK, JUNE 1, 1907, TO JUNE 1, 1908. **CR.**

June 1, 1907. Balance	$1,668 59
Deposited for Building Fund	2 00
July 1, 1907. Interest	29 42
January 1, 1908	28 95
	$1,728 96

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM G. DAVIES. } Auditing Committee.
ALEX. RICE MCKIM. }

July 2, 1908.

Report of Contributions

	Received by Treasurer.	Report Correspon
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Report of the "Founder's Endowment Fund" 1908

The Treasurer of the "Founder's Endowment Fund of the Church Periodical Club" reports as follows:

31 shares of American Express stock, yielding an annual income of $368.28.

Amount in American Savings Bank	$3,000 00
Amount in Union Square Savings Bank, June 1st, 1907.	220 25
July 9th, interest	52 50
October 19th, collection in All Saints' Church, Richmond.	35 00
January 9th, interest	60 00
January 27th, Mrs. Louis C. Massey, Thonotosassa, Southern Florida	5 00
April 10th, "A Friend"	5 00
May 7th, Chapel of Intercession	4 00
May 21st, Miss E. D. Paxson, Philadelphia	15 00
May 28th, Mrs. Franklin B. Lord	5 00
	$3,401 75

We trust that during the coming year substantial additions may be made to this Fund. Its growth has been very slow, and while we are grateful for the smallest sums, we earnestly desire that the sum of $15,000 may be acquired at an early date, the interest of which would remove anxiety as to rental of office.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINICKE,

Treasurer of Endowment Fund.

420 Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, November, 1908.

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the (
Periodical Club are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, In
Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth,
and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported
Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill

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58 Astor Street, Chicag

Suggestions to Contributors

In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address rnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting repient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is reeived. Should card sent with the first number and that sent very six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, nother address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Liarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper ill not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by ıail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held this season on the fourth Monday of each month from October to April, inclusive, at the Diocesan House, 416 Lafayette Street, New York City.

There will be one exception, in February, when the meeting will be changed from the 22d to the 15th of the month.

Letters Received

r of a crippled boy in the Bahamas writes:

the Resident Justice, my brother George has rec
er of books, etc., for which please allow me to th
st you still to continue to help him, for I can as
ll your sympathy. I am his sister, and he gets n
g he has to do. He can write a little, but wont
t, when it is anything particular he wants done.
d like to know something about his life. He wi
ld on the 16th of this month, has never walked i
a cripple. But his disposition is fairly bright; s

From Maryland:

"I think you will, perhaps, be interested in knowing what one of our new librarians has done this winter: supplied the Silver Cross Rest Room with good, healthy reading matter. This room is in the heart of the business part of the city, and an average of ninety girls get their lunch there every day. Many of these girls have written and personally thanked the librarian, saying the short stories and articles interested them much more than large books. The Port Mission, where hundreds of sailors have access, has been furnished with reading matter, and many most touching thanks have been received. Also, the Light Ship, for the first time in its existence, has been remembered. A most beautiful letter of thanks has been received, saying nowhere could reading matter have been sent where it would have given greater pleasure. One of the sailors told some one he did not know just what the letters C. P. C. meant, but from captain down, all hands on the Light Ship, when they saw a paper or magazine marked C. P. C., said, 'God bless it!' May we all join the officers and men of the Light Ship, and pray God bless the C. P. C."

The wife of a clergyman writes:

"Thank you very much for the package of books and papers. We did not expect them at all, and D—— is delighted with the book of cartoons, which he declares was sent to him. He is across the street with it now to show the little girl who exchanges funny papers with him. And next Sunday he will take it to the man they give the papers to, and let him keep it a week or two. The Bibelot I will make an index of for the girls, as they think it will help them in the class work at school. Just a few minutes ago the postman left three numbers of the *Scientific American*. I am so glad to have it for all the family, but especially for D——. He is only twelve years old, and four years ago, before we came here, there was an editor who lent it to us each week, and D—— read nearly everything in it then. We think he will be some kind of an electrician. He has the whole back yard wired up with bells and lights made out of scraps that have been given to him. We have

thing for him. He uses batteries that have b
ithout being entirely exhausted. One of our ne
s in the shops brings them to him. He makes
it of wires."

an in Panama writes:

t grateful for what your society has done for me,
ot of some of our Church papers. At Christ
d some books, which are of good use among
also at Easter many Easter cards. I cannot be
n what eagerness and gratitude these were recei
e Government Hospital. At the head of the bed
fferer these little cards still hang, and, as one Am
t is a touch of home.' These are small things,
much in summing up the influences that make
d I wish you would express to as many of y
e the sincere gratitude I feel for the help and ch
only to an isolated worker, but to the many sad
who feel in these little gifts the throb of the lovi
heart of Christ through His members. For my c

those whose generosity made this splendid gift possible is my sincere prayer."

A recipient in New Guinea writes:

"Your letter received, as you know it takes some months for letters to come and go in these Isles of the Sea. I am under great obligations to you and the kind friends who have sent us literature. I doubt whether any other lot is more thankfully received, more eagerly read, or passed on to others more faithfully. As you know, in this mission we all serve for maintenance only, and therefore money is a scarce article among the most of us. I take great pleasure, however, in directing the enclosed pound note to your Club for postage, etc. Am truly sorry it is not a larger amount. I have been here nine years now without a vacation—a record for this deadly climate. My salvation has been love of reading in odd moments, and the ability to take myself thousands of miles away from my surroundings in thought at least."

The following resolution was adopted by the Directors of a Memorial Home and School for Girls at their annual meeting:

"*Resolved:* That the sincere thanks of the Directors of the Home be sent to the Church Periodical Club, New York City, for their kindly interest and generous gifts to this Institution, which is educating and preparing for useful womanhood many orphan girls, who would otherwise be left to grow up in ignorance, void of culture and refinement, and, above all, intelligent religion."

From a lay worker in Alaska comes the following:

"It is very good of you to suggest sending me some more magazines. I shall appreciate them very much. There is a great gathering of Indians here now; it is called a 'potlack.' This means a reunion of Indians from a circuit of several miles. Many different tribes are represented, and various dialects are spoken. It is somewhat confusing to converse with them all. I am glad to say that our Indians of the Mission compare very favorably with

the visiting Indians. Our Indian church is, just now, too sma to accommodate both our own Indians and the visitors, but som how or other they manage to squeeze in. It is a pity we have n mission hospital here. There are many cases which could be cure were they in a hospital for a time. There is a military hospita here, but no Indians are taken unless it is a severe case, or when a operation is necessary. Consequently, the Indians have to b treated in their own cabins, which are often far from being in sanitary condition. I think the Government will in time buil hospitals for the natives. I dare say it is difficult for you to realiz what it means to live in an Indian village on the banks of th Yukon. The solitude is apt to make one feel lonely, especially any newspapers we receive are at least a month old. I often wond what I would feel like, were I to be suddenly transplanted to a larg city. I have been up here for ten years and have grown accustom to the silence and quietude."

A clergyman in Mexico writes:

"This place has an American population of about 1,200. The is absolutely no place where the young men may find entertainme except at gambling places and saloons. It has seemed to me a ve needed work that the Church can do here is to open a decent pla of entertainment for the young men. Could I ask the help of t Periodical Club in sending us some magazines and books—such would appeal to young men with time heavy on their hands? would certainly be very grateful for them. We have here not from fifty communicants of the Church, but living without a Chur service some have become indifferent. We are endeavoring to bri them together again and are holding services in the Masonic Hal

An extract from a letter shows the indirect help of C. P. C.:

"You ask about *The Spirit of Missions* that also continues come to me from Mrs. ——, with whom, I am pleased to say, ther frequent and delightful intercourse, having become good frie through the medium of the much valued little magazine, and

is kind enough to say she has often been glad my kind friends have given her my name as one to whom she could pass it on, and so become acquainted. Truly does 'Love and Peace and Patience bloom, in ready help for all.'"

A prisoner in jail writes:

"Dear Madam: Copy of *Christian Herald,* together with postal card, just come to hand. It is mighty fine of you, and you may believe that your interest is fully appreciated. You are doubtless aware that the above address is that of a convict camp, and that it is my misfortune to be incarcerated therein. I am serving a twenty-year sentence for burglary, and have been in more than four years. I may add that since my imprisonment I have had ample time to reflect on the error of my way, with the result that I was impelled to take my case to God with a desire for forgiveness, and a determination to take for my guide the lowly Jesus. Your kindly interest is an added inducement why I should strive to live the Christ life."

onstitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

this Association shall be the Church Periodical

ARTICLE II.

Object.

the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply tically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, c., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

of this Club shall consist of the Executive Com— ents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

f this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents,

Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the Officers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from October to April, inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

The Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in October. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place monthly from October to May inclusive, at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, provided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular Meeting.

By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint
ittees, when authorized by the Club, and call Special
e request of three Members.

ce-President shall, in the absence of the President,
uties of that Office.

General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence
sue notices of, and prepare a Report for, all Meetings,
Annual Report with statistics.

eral Secretary shall also have the oversight of the
the Central Office, and authority to appoint a sub-
such duties during her absence.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

VI.

Order of Business.

eral Meeting.	*Executive Committee.*
Prayers.	1. Opening Prayers.
f General Meeting.	2. Minutes of last Meetin
General Secretary.	3. Report of General Secr
Treasurer.	4. Report of Treasurer.
	5. Unfinished Business.
of letters by the	6. New Business.
Secretary.	7. Adjournment.
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VII.

Correspondents.

Diocese in which this work is carried on there
ndent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties sh

est the Parishes in the work, and endeavor to

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall be a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them regular contributions of literature and money;

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same;

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address;

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish;

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure," by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

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CHURCH MISSIONS HOUSE
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New York City

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

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Church Periodical Club

Room 51, CHURCH MISSIONS HOUSE, 281 Fourth Ave.,

New York City

From June 1st, 1908, to June 1st, 1909

"The Church Periodical Club"

What it Is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during

pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and
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ely unaccompanied by money.
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d reading matter through the Church Periodical Clu
P. C. is always very glad to get good reading matter
h the following exceptions:

mbers of the following magazines: *Spectator, Outloo*
ican Review, Literary Digest, Review of Reviews, etc
who greatly desire these when up-to-date cannot us
he information they contain is no longer fresh.
o whom the date of magazines does not matter woul
such solid reading and so we find a great difficulty i

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total reports received from 50 of the 70 Dioce
Missionary Districts interested in the work.

Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each weel
nonth by Diocesan Branches.....
Periodicals sent each week and month from Central Office
Testaments, Psalms and Gospels.....
Books and Hymnals with and without music.....
heological and Secular.....

The Amer[illegible]
pital Book and News[illegible]
ing Co., The New York Bible and Common Pray[illegible]
and the Outlook Co.

Also to the publishers of *The Churchman*, *Churchman*, *The Holy Cross Magazine*, *St. Andr*[illegible] *The Spirit of Missions*, for free copies sent to the [illegible] senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C[illegible]
General Secret[illegible]

ort of the Recording Secretary

ng out the nineteenth Annual Report, the
ub marks its twenty-first birthday, as it was
years before the first report was printed. The
majority was celebrated by a meeting, held on
09, in the hall of the Young Women's Christi
st Fifteenth Street, New York. This meeti
by a warm friend of the Club, the Rev. Will
D.D., Rector of Grace Church, New York, w
speakers and commented upon their addresses
t and happy manner. The Rev. Henry Mottet
Church of the Holy Communion, New York
s starting in his parish, and of Mrs. Mortimer
r. Archdeacon Spurr, of West Virginia, told
him in his work among 800 prisoners in the

ment Fund to a sum sufficiently large for the yearly interest to pay the rent of the office. The response was most encouraging, as will be seen by the report of the Treasurer of this Fund, given on another page, though it is not yet sufficient to ensure the desired result.

During the past year there has been a change in the office staff which is noted with much regret. One of the clerks has left, and her efficient work will be much missed.

Thanks are due to many kind friends, both firms and individuals, who have given us money and literature. The names of the firms will be found in another part of the report; the individuals are too numerous for separate acknowledgment, but they can be assured that their gifts have been most welcome.

It is sad to record the death of one of the old friends of the Church Periodical Club, Mrs. William Cochrane, of New York, whose interest in the work was unfailing, and whose generosity filled many gaps in the Treasury.

The Church Periodical Club needs more friends to take the place of those who have gone. Individuals among clergy and laity, schools, reading rooms, hospitals, all ask for help, and the possibilities are boundless. Were the means adequate, what problems might be solved, what comfort given, what hopes realized! One woman here and there sending her magazine regularly, writing a friendly letter to the recipient, keeping in touch with those whom she is trying to help; multiply these over and over, and there seems to be no end to the good that can be accomplished. Shall this be only a day dream, or a blessed reality? It is for the friends of the Church Periodical Club to answer this question, and to give to others according as the Giver of all good has blessed them above their fellows.

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary.

June 1st, 1909.

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CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOU

.....	$2,520 00
.....	670 00
es: Postage, printing, wages, etc.....	1,110 69
Cartage.....	267 30
.....	7 75
ual Report.....	135 00
ostage and Stationery.....	20 00
	$

Tracts and Books.....	$ 180 36
.....	15 00
d Easter Cards.....	89 75
for Periodicals.....	76 45
Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner.....	51 00
use Expense.....	5 00
work in China.....	5 00
Fund.....	336 50
ire Apparatus.....	55 00
Expenses.....	10 00
ishing Company.....	6 00
.....	14 50
Library.....	10 35
and Organ at Meeting.....	30 00
China.....	10 00
.....	23 40
ravelling Libraries.....	9 86
Checks.....	1 60

Report

MRS. R. H. OAKLEY, JUNE 1, 1908, TO JUNE 1, 1909. **CR.**

June 1st, 1908. Balance		$1,867 05
By Annual Subscriptions	$ 523 75	
Donations	2,986 44	
		3,510 19
Specials:—		
For Express and Postage	$ 181 24	
Books, Theological, Educational, etc	77 15	
Christmas and Easter Cards	29 83	
Subscriptions to Periodicals	28 81	
General Secretary	67 00	
The Late Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	54 00	
Travelling Libraries	27 56	
Salaries—Clerks	265 00	
Miss Wood's work in China	5 00	
United Offering, 1910	6 50	
Library in China	10 00	
Prisoner	1 00	
Moving Picture Apparatus	55 00	
Rent for Hall and Organ at Meeting (donated by President)	30 00	
Books for Nevada	5 00	
Librarian's Expenses	10 00	
Telephone	12 00	
Endowment Fund	336 50	
From Old Books, Papers and Pictures	105 01	
Refund for Ice	4 12	
" " Freight	16 67	
" " Telephone	2 35	
Interest from Endowment Fund	368 28	
" " Savings Bank	57 36	
" " Bank of the Metropolis	13 95	
		1,769 33
		$7,146 57

SAVINGS BANK, JUNE 1, 1908, TO JUNE 1, 1909. **CR.**

June 1st, 1908. Balance	$1,493 77
Interest	57 36
	$1,551 13

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM G. DAVIES, } *Auditing Committee.*
ALEX. RICE McKIM, }

June 19th, 1909.

	Books, Theolog and Sec	Tracts, Catechis	Odd Magazin	Christm and Easter C	Carols, Music.	Pictures Games,	Boxes, Barrels, Contents Unknow	Travelli Libraries
	6,700	714	53,341	11,575	807	6,262	319	2
	429	23	11,524	326	12	83	9	.....
.	1,569	24	1,325	1,062	77	.....	5	.....
	2,924	89	14,320	2,263	394	489	147	.....
	3,000	824	50,000	15,500	2,643	7,600	51	.....
.	.....	.....	150	160	.....	44	7	1
	100	5	9,669	773	4	83	155	.....
.	140	.....	830	442	91	6	23	.....
.	.....	.....	707	40	.....	.....	2	.....
	1,381	.....	17,085	7,304	209	76	74	.....
.	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
.	30	.....	1,355	.....	.....	.....	23	.....
	206	15	1,415	28	.....	86	23	.....
	125	30	2,313	112	.....	158	4	.....
	.....	120	1,028	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
.	1,152	.....	43,449	820	.....	141	34	.....
	345	450	924	300	.....	2,977	.....	.....
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
	530	100	1,480	730	57	200	26	.....
.	946	185	12,073	714	1,432	103	4	.....
	98	16	200	125	10	5	18	.....

Diocese.	Current Periodicals.	Bibles, Testaments, Gospels.	Prayer Books, Hymnals.	Books, Theological and Secular.	Tracts, Catechisms.	Odd Magazines.	Christmas and Easter Cards.	Carols, Music.	Pictures, Games, etc.	Boxes, Barrels, etc., Contents Unknown.	Travelling Libraries.
Ohio	143	.....	.....	103	.....	2,341	11	.....	5	17	.....
Oregon	No	report									
Florida	No	report									
Western New York	357	1	3	154	.....	637	217	.....	10	14	.....
Kansas	5	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Indianapolis	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Vermont	73	10	14	61	.....	56	203	.....	.....	4	.....
Salt Lake	No	report									
Maine	57	16	.....	.....	36	1,702	350	.....	124	26	.....
Louisiana	No	report									
West Virginia	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,200	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
New Jersey	50	.....	5	.....	.....	103	392	100	.....	12	.....
Mississippi	5	.....	.....	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kentucky	226	.....	.....	19	.....	2,711	9	.....	.....	4	.....
Nebraska	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Milwaukee	164	25	.....	1	.....	54	78	3	.....	3	.....
Southern Virginia	264	7	12	750	.....	3,252	112	156	75	14	.....
Olympia	No	report									
Virginia	155	.....	.....	120	.....	1,300	.....	1	.....	27	.....
Dallas	No	report									
Marquette	No	report									
Alabama	86	.....	.....	6	.....	281	12	.....	.....	4	.....
Southern Florida	93	.....	.....	.....	.....	210	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Easton	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
Iowa	36	.....	.....	.....	7	188	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delaware	No	report									
Missouri	133	1	.....	24	.....	39	1,150	.....	.....	6	.....
Los Angeles	956	.....	2	13	.....	5,585	912	.....	541	9	.....
New Hampshire	No	report									
Lexington	6	.....	2	.....	227	218	1	.....	70	1	.....
North Dakota	No	report									
Duluth	No	report									
Kansas City	No	report									
Asheville	42	.....	3	86	.....	119	30	.....	23	1	.....
Quincy	No	report									
Harrisburg	1	.....	.....	2	.....	320	150	.....	34	17	.....
Sacramento	No	report									

Report of Contributions

	Received by Treasurer.	Reported by Correspondents.
Alabama	$10 00	$52 78
Albany	25 00	19 00
Arizona		
Asheville	10 75	9 75
Athens, Greece		
California		78 60
Canada	1 50	
Central New York	18 00	16 00
Central Pennsylvania		
Chicago	19 03	5 00
Colorado	5 00	11 28
Connecticut	90 75	75 77
Dakota		
Delaware	1 00	
Dallas	9 85	
East Carolina	1 00	
Easton		5 00
Florida	1 25	
Georgia	60	3 18
Harrisburg	5 00	15 25
Idaho		
Illinois	1 00	
Indiana		
Iowa	1 67	1 67
Kansas	10 50	
Kentucky	3 00	3 00
Louisiana		
Long Island	325 50	1,800 00
Los Angeles	12 00	30 77
Maine		
Maryland	23 00	25 89
Massachusetts	276 33	662 35
Michigan	26 00	80 00
Minnesota	1 00	
Mississippi	1 00	
Missouri	3 00	29 89
Newark	44 00	273 33
New Hampshire	7 00	
New Jersey	7 00	23 50
New York	3,403 45	3,257 33
North Carolina	52 10	34 75
Ohio	50 00	
Pennsylvania	33 00	588 70
Pittsburgh	11 00	20 50
Rhode Island		107 29
South Carolina	12 50	45 98
South Dakota		
Southern Florida	2 35	5 60
Southern Ohio	28 00	90 18
Southern Virginia	5 00	35 20
Tennessee		
Texas	1 50	37 00
Utah		
Vermont	12 00	
Virginia	7 00	15 40
Olympia		
Washington, D. C.		76 22
Western Branch	22 00	18 50
Western Massachusetts		8 50
Western New York	28 75	29 00
West Texas		
West Virginia	10 00	45 00
Wisconsin	3 00	

Report of the "Founder's Endowment Fund" 1909

The Treasurer of the Founder's Endowment Fund presents the following report:

31 shares of American Express, yielding an annual income of $368.28. Estimated value	$6,000 00
Amount in American Savings Bank	3,000 00
Amount in Union Square Savings Bank	2,837 00
Amount in German Savings Bank	766 35
	$12,603 35

The past year has been full of interest and encouragement; for although our immense effort through our twenty-first Anniversary has only added $3,383 to our Fund, this sum represents the sympathy and gratitude of almost an innumerable host of friends and beneficiaries, as the appended list will show.

We earnestly hope, and believe, that the coming year may be, at least, as fruitful as the last, and at its close the rent of our office and other necessary expenses may be provided for through this Fund.

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Diocese of Texas, Mr. Alfred George, Miss A. Phillips, Rev. H. W. D

In addition to these are a number of names which, by request, ar

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE W. HEINIGK

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June 1st, 420 Ovington Avenue, Bay Ridge, N. Y.

Report of the Travelling Libraries

So few seem to know what the Travelling Libraries are that perhaps it would be well to explain in a few words. They are cases of sixty books which are usually sent as memorials, and which are transferred every six months to a new location. As they are sent to a place as far as possible where there is no public library, their cheering influence can scarcely be overestimated. Their cost is small, only $15 without the books, which need not of necessity be new. We now have 38 of these libraries between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, an increase of ten during the past year, seven of these having been sent from New Jersey parishes. We have received several calls for libraries for children, of which we have none.

LILIAN M. WILLIAMS.

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to the Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

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Suggestions to Contributors

In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held in the Diocesan House, 416 Lafayette Street, New York City, on the fourth Monday of each month, from October, 1909, to April, 1910, inclusive.

Letters Received

From a clergyman:

"The C. P. C. is such a unique organization and does such a world of good in its quiet way that I always feel I may add, as I do now, a 'God bless you' as a Missionary who owes to it many a pleasant hour."

A recipient in Florida writes:

"It was so thoughtful and lovely of you to send the Bibles, and I want to assure you that your deep interest in our little work has been proven again and again by your own personal attention to our needs, and it is deeply and tenderly appreciated. The children were so happy on Sunday with their splendid Bibles. It was Aunt Jane's Bible, however, that was the crowning joy of the whole box, just as I knew it was to be after receiving your dear note. How I wish that it were possible for me to express to you her deep joy and gratitude, which were so plainly shown by every look and touch which she bestowed upon her precious gift. It was a complete surprise to her, and it took a little time for her to comprehend that it was her very own, to carry home, to keep, and that it had come from one whom she had never seen and yet was intended expressly for her. She opened it from place to place, and her delight was truly most beautiful to witness. She realized immediately the size and clearness of the type, also that she was to have no further difficulty in finding the chapter she desired because of the Roman letters. She said: 'Thank the Lord, now I has the word, the blessed word, and plenty of the word.' While I was wrapping it, I said to her: 'What shall I say to the good friend who sent you the precious book, Aunt Jane?' And this is her message: 'Tell her Aunt Jane says "Bless the Lord, O my soul! and forget not all His benefits." Tell her Aunt Jane doesn't know how to say thank you enough, but she's gwine to pray for her.' The last sight and sound that I had of Aunt Jane and her Bible was with it

carefully balanced on her head, her stick in one hand (she is very lame), a bucket of milk in the other; and as she disappeared through the shady path that leads through the woods I heard her singing at the top of her voice, 'I am so glad that my Father in Heaven tells of His love, etc., etc.'"

A clergyman in Nova Scotia writes:

"I have been in charge here for three years; during that period I have not been able to purchase one new book, and, as far as I can remember, I have had but one new book presented, and that about two weeks since by a commercial traveller, whom I met at one of the places I visit. I live about twelve miles from the nearest telegraph or telephone office, though I receive a daily mail. Most of the people are fishermen, who 'take' some local paper; some few subscribe to Montreal or Halifax papers. By all means please let me have some 'solid reading' as well as good novels, and, whenever you can, reading matter for children young and old. It may sound extravagant for me to say as much, but my heart sang out, in its resurrected hope and thankfulness, 'God bless Mrs. Chapin, and others who, at no little trouble and expense, sent me so much more than I had received in many years.'"

This comes from Colorado:

"In my trips to the small villages among the mountains I frequently find some family or individual to whom the publications are most welcome, and there are always some copies in my grip, when leaving home, to be distributed. Only last Monday a man accosted me while our train was stopping at a water tank, and enquired: 'Are you the parson who gives magazines away?' I learned that this man, a miner, lives alone in a 'dug-out' miles away from any human habitation. He received a good education in Massachusetts, and is now mining for gold in a mountain 14,000 feet high. He told me he was so hungry for reading matter that he would give anything for a book or magazine."

A clergyman in Michigan writes:

"The barrels came this morning, and I just had a good time unpacking them. They are indeed a veritable mine, which will bring a lot of solid comfort and enjoyment into many of our scat-

tered homes. I expect to use as many of the books as possible for the Christmas-tree, and to start a Sunday-school library in one of my missions, or rather add to the little collection I had been able to get together. The mounted pictures gave two of my daughters, who have classes in the Sunday-school here, some ideas for their girls. They will help brighten some of our homes, and give me little remembrances for some of the older ones on our trees. I find some little token brings a lot of joy to them as well as to the smaller ones. *The Youth's Companion* and *St. Nicholas* are especially prized. The reading of them very often starts the young people on the reading of more mature matter. I like to see the younger members of the Church interested in doing things. That interest usually lasts after they are grown up. The young boys keep one of my mission churches supplied with wood, and for a long time built the fires, rang the bell and swept the church. That Easter box with its rabbits and eggs is as sweet as must be the little girl who sent it. I am always glad to get these things so long beforehand. Going to so many places the time passes very quickly, and while, for instance, Christmas is almost four weeks off, there is really very little time remaining. I will visit two of my missions only once more before I go there for the Christmas festival. I feel sure my 'gold mine' will prove such to a large number of us in our little missions."

A recipient in Georgia writes:

"Every magazine sent here has done its good work. The demand for them is so eager that frequently I make several families read them in turn, so that the papers are often worn to a frizzle! I am constantly enlarging my field, and have taken in some valley families on my list, and several in a mining camp, etc. I am always glad to get magazines, and use every possible consideration as to individual fitness in giving them out. The *Collier's* are particularly popular on account of the pictures, which can be used for wall posters after reading the stories. Yes, I am pretty busy, and sometimes say to myself that I have 'no time' to bother with Church work, and then I grow ashamed of myself, and do a little more C. P. C. work to pay for such a thought. For we learn to fit things in somehow, don't we? Do advise your Club Correspondent of my

deep interest in the C. P. C. I wish I had time to tell you of the picturesque homes I go among, the eager pleasure over the magazines. Every magazine, every paper of my own 'gangs the same gait.' Just now I am saving every scrap of newspaper for a cabin that has to be 'papered.' Three girls from the said cabin are camping on my trail for them; if I want to make a fire I can scarcely find a newspaper in the house. When the cabin is 'papered' (advertisements and all) then some of those *Collier* pictures will adorn the walls."

This comes from South Carolina:

"Again an old lady knocks at your door, and asks for something to read this coming year. God is merciful, and still spares my sight and mind, and my dearest delight is to read. I manage to take the local newspaper, but I am not able to purchase any magazine this year. My only crop is cotton; cotton is at such a low ebb it scarcely pays. . . . I shall be very glad if any kind friend will pass on a good magazine to me."

From a clergyman in Texas:

"I would make grateful acknowledgment of the kindness of the ladies of the C. P. C. to me all these years. It is impossible for words to say what their loving gifts have done for me and for my people in matters both of instruction and of pleasure. No statement of the value of your work can be too strong, for no one can know its endless ramifications. Who can estimate, for instance, what pleasure and comfort have been given to the scattered dwellers in the canyons of the Nueces by the bundles of magazines given them to read and pass on to others? It has been for years my hope that sometime I might be permitted to stand before some great assemblage of C. P. C. workers, and tell them face to face of what their work has meant so far as I have known it. With best wishes for the health and prosperity of the C. P. C. and its members, etc."

From Florida:

"I wish to say right here that among the bright things which the Church gives her domestic missionary *there is nothing in the shape of recreation and rest that takes the place of your society.* Indirectly it is the means by which alone he keeps in touch with the

world. If the society can give me the list of those to whom I am indebted for my reading matter, I will gladly write to each. Whenever I am coming North again, I will arrange, if you want, to address the C. P. C., to whom I feel so much indebted."

An Army Chaplain writes:

"I have about 100 prisoners and as many sick to look after constantly in the Post. Besides this have been given the large task of librarian for the Post. Could you not help me with periodicals for distribution? I am depending at present on my own personal resources, but hope to get some help outside. I should value greatly any books, especially fiction. My need in supplying the Post is very great, and there is no appropriation of any kind for our work, which is, perhaps, wise on the whole. Anything you could send would be gratefully appreciated."

From Hawaii:

"I should be much pleased to receive *Leslie's Weekly* and also *Collier's Weekly*, as we have a reading-room and night school for all nations—seven nations are represented in our school. They like to look at pictures on Sunday afternoons and Saturdays. Then there is the shipping. I send papers, monthlies and books (when I can get them) to the captains of the ships visiting here, and they greatly enjoy having them."

A clergyman from Oklahoma writes:

"It is with much pleasure and gratitude that I acknowledge the gift of the Teacher's Edition of Smith's Bible Dictionary. It would be almost impossible to tell how helpful such a volume is to one's work: Why! I should have been puzzled the other day to answer a question without its help. I often think of the C. P. C. and how deeply I am indebted to it, especially when I look at my books. It is a grand institution, and cannot help but be of great aid in furthering the Church's work."

A contributor in New York writes:

"One clergyman, in Kansas, to whom I sent a periodical for some years, wrote me once that it passed through sixty families every month. Can one resist taking a little trouble for such results?"

The Constitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature systematically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, a General Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article V.

Executive Committee.

Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the *x-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from :o April, inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be l by the Executive Committee.

Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in October. ıembers shall constitute a quorum.

meeting of the Executive Committee shall take place from October to May, inclusive, at such time and place e designated by the Committee. Five members shall con- ıuorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular

By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint Special Committees, when authorized by the Club, and call Special Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. A Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that Office.

3. The General Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Club, issue notices of, and prepare a Report for, all Meetings, including the Annual Report with statistics.

The General Secretary shall also have the oversight of the work done in the Central Office, and authority to appoint a substitute to fulfil such duties during her absence.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all Meetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual Report, with such assistance as she may ask for at the April Meeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees of their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the same in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, and make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall render a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Monthly Meeting, and prepare a Report for the Annual Meeting.

6. The Treasurer of the Endowment Fund shall have charge of that Fund, and invest the same, subject to the approval of the Advisory Committee. She shall report to the General and Executive Meetings.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the Executive Committee, and for the transaction of other important business.

VI.

Order of Business.

General Meeting.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of General Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Roll Call.
6. Reading of letters by the General Secretary.
7. Unfinished Business.
8. New Business.
9. Closing Prayers or Doxology.
10. Adjournment.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VII.

Correspondents.

In every Diocese in which this work is carried on there shall be a Correspondent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Parishes in the work, and endeavor to have a Librarian appointed in each Parish;

To keep a list of Parishes and Librarians working for the Church Periodical Club;

To obtain from the Central Office all information required by the Librarians, and transmit the same to them, immediately;

To send to the Central Office an Annual Report of the work done in her Diocese.

The Correspondent of any Diocese, or the Librarian of any Parish, is authorized to reimburse herself from the money she collects, for her expenses for postage, express, freight or stationery incurred in the work of the Church Periodical Club.

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall be a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them regular contributions of literature and money;

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same;

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address;

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish;

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure," by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

Diocesan Correspondents

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I. E. THOMAS

npson St., The Bronx, New York — 65 Librarians

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HARLOTTE E. STARBUCK

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ATHALIE T. PALMER

ashington St., Middletown, Conn. — 10 Librarians

No. 9—*Albany*
MISS FRANCES FINLEY
Champlain, N. Y. 20 Librarians

No. 10—*Pittsburgh*
MRS. JAMES M. BARRETT
Beaver, Penn. 21 Librarians

No. 11—*Rhode Island*
MRS. HOWARD HOPPIN
86 Brown St., Providence, R. I. 26 Librarians

No. 12—*Springfield. Western Branch*
MRS. D. W. DRESSER
620 West Edwards St., Springfield, Ill. 2 Librarians

No. 13—*Tennessee*
MRS. R. W. RHAMES
543 N. 4th St., Memphis, Tenn. 13 Librarians

No. 14—

No. 15—*Minnesota. Western Branch*
MRS. A. T. GESNER
Seabury Hall, Faribault, Minn. 10 Librarians

No. 16*a*—*Maryland*
MRS. M. P. WEST
2441 N. Charles St., Baltimore, Md. 14 Librarians

No. 16*b*—*Washington*
MRS. J. A. GILFILLAN
1328 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 10 Librarians

No. 17—*North Carolina*
MISS REBECCA CAMERON
Box 32, Hillsborough, N. C. 16 Librarians

No. 18—*Pennsylvania*
Miss A. W. Fisher
Church House
12th and Walnut Sts., Philadelphia, Penn. 59 Librarians

No. 19—*Georgia* 5 Librarians

No. 20—*Western Michigan*
Mrs. P. J. Westover
322 N. James St., Ludington, Mich.

No. 21—*West Texas* 1 Librarian

No. 22—*Michigan*
Miss Delia Warriner
49 Martin Place, Detroit, Mich. 18 Librarians

No. 23—*New Mexico*

No. 24—*Montana*

No. 25—*Southern Ohio*
Miss Anna Phillips
2546 Moorman Ave., Cincinnati, O. 16 Librarians

No. 26—*Texas*
Mrs. C. M. Desel
Dickinson, Tex. 3 Librarians

No. 27—*East Carolina*
Miss Mary C. Roberts
109 Pollock St., New Bern, N. C. 2 Librarians

No. 28—*Western Massachusetts*
Mrs. Everett Kimball
319 Elm St., Northampton, Mass. 9 Librarians

No. 29—*Newark*
Miss A. D. Gilbert
97 S. Arlington Ave., East Orange, N. J. 43 Librarians

No. 30—*California*
Mrs. Gaillard Stoney
3294 Jackson St., San Francisco, Cal. 21 Librarians

No. 31—*Central Pennsylvania*
Mrs. Carleton C. Jones
65 Sullivan St., Wilkes-Barre, Penn. 14 Librarians

No. 32—*Colorado*
Mrs. Thomas A. Schofield
Wolfe Hall, Denver, Col. 15 Librarians

No. 33—*Ohio*
Miss Jean W. Backus
2215 E. 46th St., Cleveland, O. 27 Librarians

No. 34—*Oregon*

No. 35—*Florida*
Mrs. John E. Hartridge
846 Riverside Ave., Jacksonville, Fla. 6 Librarians

No. 36—*Western New York*
Miss Mary J. Pratt
Manchester, N. Y. 38 Librarians

No. 37—*Kansas*
Mrs. Edgar Wright
244 South Forrest Ave., Kansas City, Kan. 4 Librarians

No. 38—*Indianapolis. Western Branch*
Mrs. Thomas Q. Dix
5773 E. Washington St., Indianapolis, Ind. 6 Librarians

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W. N. McDunnough

Rectory, Shelburne, Vt. 9 Libra

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Blanche L. Metcalfe

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W. H. Smith

Snuggery," 1125 Julian St.,

Parkersburg, W. Va. 5 Libra

Jersey 6 Libra

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No. 50—*Olympia* 1 Librarian

No. 51—*Virginia*
Mrs. M. G. Wallace
100 S. 3d St., Richmond, Va. 14 Librarians

No. 52—*Dallas*
Mrs. R. S. Neblett
418 W. 3d Ave., Corsicana, Tex. 3 Librarians

No. 53—*Marquette* 3 Librarians

No. 54—*Alabama*
Mrs. Stewart McQueen
96 Mobile St., Montgomery, Ala. 14 Librarians

No. 55—*Southern Florida*
Mrs. J. H. Weddell
Lakeland, Fla. 8 Librarians

No. 56—*Easton*
Miss Ellen Barroll
Elkton, Md. 20 Librarians

No. 57—*Iowa. Western Branch*
Mrs. George W. Hinkle
Waterloo, Ia. 14 Librarians

No. 58—*Delaware*
Miss A. D. Gibbs
Middletown, Del. 9 Librarians

No. 59—*Missouri*
Miss L. B. Allen
275 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y. 8 Librarians

No. 60—*Los Angeles*
Mrs. A. C. Stilson
2340 Thompson St., Los Angeles, Cal. 14 Librarians

No. 61—*New Hampshire* 3 Librarians

No. 62—*Lexington*
MRS. A. E. DOISY
77 W. 4th St., Covington, Ky. 1 Librarian

No. 63—*North Dakota*
MRS. JOHN OWEN
Grand Forks, N. D.

No. 64—*Duluth. Western Branch*

No. 65—*Kansas City*
MISS L. W. JOHNSON
423 N. 4th St., St. Joseph, Mo. 2 Librarians

No. 66—*Asheville*
MRS. C. D. CHAPMAN
Lock Box 14, Brevard, N. C. 6 Librarians

No. 67—*Quincy. Western Branch*
MRS. W. M. PURCE
Cambridge, Ill.

No. 68—*Harrisburg*
MRS. ROBERT A. LAMBERTON
111 North Front St., Harrisburg, Penn. 8 Librarians

No. 69—*Sacramento*
MRS. GEORGE E. SWAN
2601 N St., Sacramento, Cal. 3 Librarians

No. 70—*Michigan City. Western Branch*
MRS. A. W. LEEDY
718 South Branson St., Marion, Ind.

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From June 1st, 1909, to June 1st, 1910

"The Church Periodical Club"

What it Is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

Information about what is not generally known to those who so kindly send reading matter through the Church Periodical Club.

The C. P. C. is always very glad to get good reading matter of all kinds with the following exceptions:

Back numbers of the following magazines: *Spectator, Outlook, North American Review, Literary Digest, Review of Reviews,* etc., etc. Those who greatly desire these when up-to-date cannot use them when the information they contain is no longer fresh.

Those to whom the date of magazines does not matter would not care for such solid reading and so we find a great difficulty in placing them.

The same can be said of old Church papers, which contain chiefly news of the Church with little else to make them desirable when old.

Above all old newspapers. Occasionally we have bundles of such sent to the Central Office; they cannot be used even for selling as old paper, for it lessens the rate of the other matter with which it is sold. The expressage paid on such would be of far greater use than the paper itself. Copies of the daily, weekly, and Sunday papers, however, are very much appreciated if sent immediately after being read.

In sending reading matter to the Central Office, or to addresses furnished by the C. P. C., the freight or express charges should always be prepaid.

List of Officers

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Mrs. Robert H. Oakley, ... 106 Wall St., New York.

Treasurer of Endowment Fund

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Twentieth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club

From June 1st, 1909, to June 1st, 1910.

Report of the General Secretary

Giving total reports received from 41 of the 72 Dioceses and Missionary Districts interested in the work.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week or month by Diocesan Branches	16,621
No. of Current Periodicals sent each week and month from Central Office	1,062
No. of Bibles, Testaments, Psalms and Gospels	921
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals with and without music	2,683
No. of Books, Theological and Secular	25,471
No. of Tracts and Catechisms	7,820
No. of Pictures, Games, etc	31,394
No. of Odd Magazines and Papers	287,238
No. of Christmas, Easter and Sunday-school Cards and Calendars	130,635
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols and Music in Books and Sheets	7,862
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not noted	1,614
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by Freight from Central Office	302
No. of Packages sent by Express from Central Office	476
No. of Packages sent by Mail from Central Office	6,579
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	5,244
No. of Letters and Postals sent from Central Office	7,396
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Clergy	1,246
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Laity	4,028
No. of Hospitals, Life-Saving Stations, Light-Houses, Reading Rooms	337

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donations of books, cards, calendars, etc., to the following firms: Messrs. R. W. Crothers & Co., E. P. Dutton & Co., Edwin S. Gorham, Theodore E. Schulte and Thomas Whittaker.

The American News Co., The Church Kalendar Co., The Century Co., The Flower Mission, The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society, The International Art Publishing Co., The League Island Art Co., The New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society and The Outlook Co.

Also to the publishers of *The Churchman, The Southern Churchman, The Holy Cross Magazine, St. Andrew's Cross* and *The Spirit of Missions,* for free copies sent to the C. P. C. and to senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
General Secretary, C. P. C.

Report of the Recording Secretary

The twentieth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club is sent to our friends with earnest pleading for their continued interest.

We are deeply grateful for the many proofs of interest during the past year; both from new and old friends, from firms and individuals. A list of the firms who have sent reading matter will be found on another page; some of them have remembered us for many years.

It is with regret that we publish the following list of friends who have been called from their labors in this life: Miss Adelaide Howell, Librarian of St. Clement's Church, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. H. D. Howitt, Librarian of St. Paul's Church, San Rafael, Cal.; Mrs. M. P. West, Correspondent of Maryland, and two of our volunteer workers, Mrs. Welling and Mrs. Webster.

Since the last Report was printed, the Club has lost two staunch friends. The Rev. William R. Huntington, D.D., Rector of Grace Church, New York, died in July, 1909. He was, from the first, greatly interested in the work of the Church Periodical Club, and Grace was the second parish to take up the work; always helped and sustained by his interest and wise counsel. In November of the same year, Mrs. Albert Bullus, at one time Treasurer of the Church Periodical Club, and long on the Executive Committee, was taken from our midst. A Minute to her memory will be found on a separate page, but it is felt to be a most inadequate expression of the loss sustained.

The appeals for reading matter come from many lands; to respond to them adequately we need a large supply of books and maga-

zines; we need, also, what people are prone to forget—ready money to forward literature to the various destinations.

After the regular expenses, as rent, salaries, etc., are met, every month, there is but little money left with which to send out literature, and often the books lie on the shelves while the people who have asked for them wait, week after week, and wonder why they do not come.

The absolute necessity of keeping a full and accurate list of all the recipients, and of the donors through Parish Librarians, and Diocesan Correspondents, requires a staff of competent clerks, who can give their undivided attention to the work. Volunteers who can give intelligent and systematic help are always welcome; but volunteers can never take the place of steady workers.

Moreover, the rent of the office in the Missions House has been raised, so that our funds need special replenishing.

The scope of the Church Periodical Club is almost boundless; the achievement is limited by the help received. All work, we are told, must either grow or decrease; it cannot remain stationary. Which shall it be with us? We appeal to our friends to support this branch of the missionary work of our Church, that it may grow and spread, bringing cheer and comfort and uplifting to countless numbers who labor for their Master.

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary.

June 1st, 1910.

Treas

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCO

.....	$2,585 00
.....	682 92
es: Postage, printing, wages, etc.	1,060 50
Cartage	269 56
.....	10 15
ual Report	176 00
ostage and Stationery	20 00
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Tracts and Books	$ 91 93
d Easter Cards	20 00
for Periodicals	98 14
Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	17 00
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Fund	396 00
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Report

MRS. R. H. OAKLEY, JUNE 1, 1909, TO JUNE 1, 1910 — **CR.**

June 1st, 1909. Balance		$1,486 06
By Annual Subscriptions	$ 478 83	
Donations	3,275 09	
		3,753 92
Specials:—		
For Express and Postage	$ 143 30	
Books, Theological, Educational, etc	47 50	
Christmas and Easter Cards	20 50	
Subscriptions for Periodicals	39 57	
General Secretary	45 20	
The late Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	11 00	
Salaries—Clerks	205 00	
United Offering, 1910	6 00	
Copying Books and Binding	5 00	
Endowment Fund	393 00	
Memorial Library	16 00	
Rent	7 50	
Printing	12 50	
Card Indexing	50 00	
From Sale of Old Books, etc	65 88	
Refund, Freight, Ice	61 09	
To replace Books in Travelling Libraries	28 00	
Withdrawn from Savings Bank for Salaries and Cards	200 00	
Interest from Union Square Savings Bank	50 66	
" " Savings Banks	215 51	
" " Endowment Fund	368 28	
" " Bank of the Metropolis	11 16	
		2,002 65
		$7,242 63

SAVINGS BANK, JUNE 1, 1909, TO JUNE 1, 1910. — **CR.**

Withdrawn, Interest	$ 50 66
Withdrawn, for Salary and Cards	200 00
Balance, June 1st, 1910	$1,293 77
	$1,544 43

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM G. DAVIES, ALEX. RICE McKIM, } *Auditing Committee.*

June 15th, 1910.

Books Theol and S	Tract Catec	Odd Maga	Chris and Easte	Carol Music	Pictur Game	Boxes Barre Conte Unkn	Trave Libra
6,360	1,105	54,239	19,498	656	5,178	440	.....
830	.....	9,634	1,010	.....	900	15	.....
362	.....	4,495	1,038	.....	613	26	.....
2,706	523	11,098	2,678	684	916	146	.....
3,025	3,000	45,000	54,184	4,000	8,200	55	.....
57	.....	490	25	6	.....	10	.....
372	.....	6,993	573	50	159	101	.....
45	.....	38	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
9	.....	566	80	.....	.....	2	.....
550	60	12,127	1,985	23	160	75	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
75	.....	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
185	.....	779	653	.....	.....	17	.....
115	11	2,390	117	.....	33	3	.....
10	.....	225	30	.....	30	5	.....
1,072	.....	31,837	7,416	406	201	384	.....
310	.....	1,000	800	40	625	20	.....
745	325	14,779	2,355	.....	92	.....	.....
87	36	100	225	.....	10	24	.....

Diocese.	Current Periodicals.	Bibles, Testaments, Gospels.	Prayer Books, Hymnals.	Books, Theological and Secular.	Tracts, Catechisms.	Odd Magazines.	Christmas and Easter Cards.	Carols, Music.	Pictures, Games, etc.	Boxes, Barrels, etc., Contents Unknown	Travelling Libraries.
Oregon	No	report									
Florida	No	report									
Western New York	437	.....	.....	159	.....	905	75	.....	10	21	.....
Kansas	No	report									
Indianapolis	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vermont	50	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	2	.....
Nevada	No	report									
Maine	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,900	.....	250	.....	10	.....
Louisiana	No	report									
West Virginia	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	861	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
New Jersey	74	.....	.....	.....	.....	835	100	.....	.....	9	.....
Mississippi	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Kentucky	241	.....	1	171	315	510	22	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nebraska	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	854	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Milwaukee	168	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Southern Virginia	122	.....	.....	18	.....	3,797	61	.....	4	10	.....
Olympia	No	report									
Virginia	212	8	10	50	40	2,537	75	.....	.....	34	.....
Dallas	18	.....	2	.....	.....	65	5	.....	6	1	.....
Marquette	No	report									
Alabama	134	.....	.....	42	.....	324	12	.....	.....	6	.....
Southern Florida	87	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,259	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Easton	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	14	.....
Iowa	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	669	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Delaware	75	.....	.....	4	.....	2,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Missouri	142	.....	.....	[illegible]	.....	255	1,020	.....	.....	39	.....
Los Angeles	179	.....	290	129	.....	5,091	383	.....	1	16	.....
New Hampshire	No	report									
Lexington	3	.....	.....	.....	68	122	34	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Dakota	No	report									
Duluth	No	report									
Kansas City	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Asheville	29	.....	.....	44	.....	185	20	.....	20	.....	.....
Quincy	No	report									
Harrisburg	30	.....	.....	7	.....	2,405	577	.....	140	10	.....
Sacramento	No	report									
Michigan City	No	report									
Atlanta	7	.....	.....	67	.....	467	196	.....	746	1	.....

Report of Contributions

	Received by Treasurer.	Reported by Correspondents.
Alabama	$26 50	$70 65
Albany	27 00	12 00
Arizona		
Asheville	8 50	7 50
California		50 00
Central New York	14 00	13 00
Central Pennsylvania	10 00	10 00
Chicago	13 87	155 95
Colorado	3 00	7 00
Connecticut	76 00	177 46
Dakota		
Delaware	1 00	
Dallas	4 58	
East Carolina	1 00	
Easton	5 00	17 28
Florida	12 48	
Georgia	65	2 00
Harrisburg	5 00	27 39
Idaho	7 35	
Illinois	2 00	
Indiana		
Iowa		7 00
Kansas	5 00	
Kentucky	4 00	
Louisiana	1 00	
Long Island	140 75	
Los Angeles	13 50	73 25
Maine	2 00	2 00
Maryland	3 00	37 63
Massachusetts	279 00	892 11
Michigan	25 00	70 00
Minnesota		
Mississippi	1 00	1 00
Missouri	1 50	23 95
Nebraska	1 00	3 26
Newark	19 00	163 71
New Hampshire	1 00	
New Jersey	24 90	2 00
New York	3,723 94	
North Carolina	42 00	24 75
Ohio	24 00	85 23
Pennsylvania	196 87	314 73
Pittsburgh	16 50	16 50
Rhode Island	30 00	115 39
South Carolina	6 00	6 00
South Dakota	1 00	
Southern Florida	12 46	18 03
Southern Ohio	49 00	104 43
Southern Virginia		10 00
Tennessee		
Texas	7 31	27 00
Utah		
Vermont	11 00	
Virginia	20 25	34 85
Olympia		
Washington, D. C.	12 75	77 89
Western Branch	25 00	44 72
Western Massachusetts	9 00	3 00
Western New York	28 00	30 15
West Texas	4 00	4 00
West Virginia	10 00	27 00
Wisconsin	3 00	

"Founder's Endowment Fund"

June 1st, 1909, to June 1st, 1910.

31 shares of American Express stock, yielding an annual income of $368.28. Estimated value of above stock.	$6,000 00
In the Union Square Savings Bank.....	2,837 89
In the American Savings Bank.....	3,000 00
In the German Savings Bank.....	1,386 62
Total	$13,224 51

Since June 1st, 1909, $620.62 has been added to the Fund by many kind friends of the Club. We hope for even more this coming year, in order that a larger income may be assured us to defray our current expenses. As the work of the Club expands, necessarily the expenses are heavier. Any donations will be gratefully received.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH S. DAVISON BROWN,
Treasurer.

223 Prospect Avenue, New Brighton, N. Y.

Report of the Travelling Libraries

June 1st, 1909, to June 1st, 1910.

The Committee on Travelling Libraries takes pleasure in reporting an increase of five new libraries this past year, three from New York and two from New Jersey, making forty-three in all. Many more could be placed, to the great benefit of those living in small towns where there is no public library of any sort, or in lumber and mining camps. When visiting remote parishioners, clergymen often carry some of the books to them, exchanging them on the next trip.

More libraries for children are asked for, also for life-saving stations. There are Government libraries for lighthouse men, but the regulations are very different. A captain in charge of a station on the New Jersey coast finds travelling libraries filled mainly with books of adventure, or stirring romance most eagerly desired.

The clergymen, or some reliable workers in the towns where the libraries are placed, take charge, distribute, and keep watch over the return of the books, and the condition they are in, and arrange for forwarding them to the next place, the recipient paying the freight charges after the original gift is made.

For those as yet unfamiliar with this branch of work, we would like to explain that the books of each library, averaging sixty in number, are placed in solid, plain dark oak cases of three shelves, the doors, with a stout lock, opening from the centre in two halves, the corners brass-bound for strength, and with brass plate for inscription, fitting into a substantial crate, one side of which screws on when it is ready to be shipped to its next location.

The case and fittings cost about fifteen dollars, and the contents are valued at from fifty to seventy dollars.

The donor, or donors, submit to the Committee a list of the books they wish to provide, and when the list has been approved, they can order themselves, or the Committee will do the purchasing for them.

It is not necessary that the books be entirely new, if of good and lasting quality, and they are often collected from different individuals to fill the library.

Some being given "In Memoriam," various friends are glad to contribute each a book. Others have been given as memorials from churches, reading clubs, one as a "Thank-offering," as well as by private gifts. One is from a Boys' Literary Club, and they took great pains in selecting books such as they themselves were personally interested in.

The libraries are widely distributed, but the majority of them are donated from New York and New Jersey.

We hope for greater interest, added gifts and increasing usefulness.

LILIAN M. WILLIAMS.

160 East 37th Street, New York.

Western Branch

The Dioceses included in the Western Branch of the Church Periodical Club are: Chicago, Quincy, Springfield, Indiana, Michigan City, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Minnesota, Duluth, Iowa and Nebraska. All work in these Dioceses should be reported to the Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Starbuck, 607 Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

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3319 Forest Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

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607 Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill.

TREASURER AND RECORDING SECRETARY—Mrs. Robt. A. McArthur,
113 Cass Street, Chicago, Ill.

Resolution

The Members of the Church Periodical Club desire to place on record their sense of the great loss sustained in the death of their associate and officer, Mrs. Albert Bullus.

For some years Mrs. Bullus was Treasurer of the Society, guiding its financial affairs with accuracy and carefulness. Latterly, when obliged to resign this position, she was made Vice-President, her associates refusing to allow her to leave their ranks. To both offices she brought unflagging interest, sound judgment and earnest work. For some years past the meetings of the Executive Committee were held at her house, as her failing health prevented her from keeping outside appointments. Her associates will not soon forget the rare courtesy with which they were received, nor the clear judgment which she showed on every subject. As a worker in the Society, her presence will be greatly missed; as a counsellor, her loss seems irreparable; but as a friend, her character, both strong and loving, will keep her memory green for all time.

The heartfelt sympathy of the members is extended to all whom her loss has bereaved.

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary.

Suggestions to Contributors

In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

Regular Meetings

The regular meetings will be held in the Diocesan House, 416 Lafayette Street, New York City, on the fourth Monday of each month, from October, 1910, to April, 1911, inclusive. There will be one exception, the December meeting, which will be held on the 19th of the month.

Letters Received

From Panama:

"We desire most gratefully to acknowledge the safe arrival of e boxes containing reading matter. The children and people at y mission at Playa de Flor were especially delighted. It was obably the first time they had ever received anything of the kind the way of pictures or reading matter, and it was a real joy to atch their radiant faces. This is a new mission, and lies across e bay from C., and it is rather difficult to reach, so that very few ople go there from the mainland, and a few months ago we celeated the Holy Communion there for the first time, and thus concrated the place to God. It is well named, "The flowers on the ad," for it is a veritable garden of the most beautiful flowers. The ative children and people there are so delighted to have the services the Church once a month, and the pleasure of giving them the ctures and books sent by C. P. C. is more than I can express. nd as some of the members of the C. P. C. asked me to state what ings we might most need, may I suggest, in case you have such ings, and could help us with them, pens, pen-holders, pencils, otters, etc., for school supply? These things are supplied to the ildren in the Zone Government Schools, but our parochial school ceives no aid, and it is composed of children of very poor famies, and anything in the way of school supplies would be of great rvice here. Also Bibles, Hymn Books, etc., and if you have any stal cards of China, Japan, Philippines, Alaska, Cuba, etc., where e missions of the Church are, they would be very helpful, as I ve a projectoscope for showing postals, and I am trying to arrange series of talks on the different missions of the Church, but I canot get these cards here. Now I fear I am asking a great deal, but am sure if, with the many others you are helping and cheering, we ay ask an occasional remembrance, we will be very grateful."

From Mexico:

"On Monday was in this place the Rev. S., and we had the pportunity that he were present in one of our biblical lessons. He elivered us in your name a package of pictures, representing the ife of our Lord Jesus Christ. Mr. S. gave the lesson; he asked ne of the girls to read from St. Luke's Gospel, and explained

through the pictures what the girl was reading—the subject of the Annunciation. The result was very satisfactory, because when he made the questions on the said subject, the girls manifested that they had learned by this means in a rapid, sure and intelligent way. In the name of the School we thank you very much."

From West Africa:

"I take this opportunity to offer my heartfelt thanks for the many papers you have so kindly sent me. They have been the means of strengthening our faith, and enlightening our ideas. It is a great treat after teaching all day to read such papers. I have been appointed Chairman of the Missionary education in the Sunday-schools of the Bassa District, and on my monthly visits I generally present a roll of papers to the children, and also Bibles and Prayer Books when I have them. There are four schools in the District, containing a goodly number of children. Where I am stationed among the heathen, I have thirty-six boarding pupils, and fourteen day scholars. All of my boarding pupils can read and write, and take a great delight in reading all that comes within their reach. There are also several heathen villages around the Station whither the Gospel is carried every Lord's Day. I can now speak the Kroo language; thousands of these people can't speak one word of English. The boys under training are from among them, and render us much assistance in spreading the 'Good tidings.' We have had to hold our service in the open air in consequence of having no place of worship. Sometimes we are greatly interrupted by the rain and sun. We are trying to build a small church, and propose to cut the lumber ourselves, believing that help will come by and by. God helps those who help themselves. I have been laboring here now seven years, and am not discouraged. Our main hope for this work lies in the boys now under training. My object is to try to raise up a little Christian community which I trust will grow, and continue to develop long years after I am dead. May the Lord grant this!"

"I have been asked to write you something of the benefit that the interest and gifts of the C. P. C. have been to this work of ours. I closed my eyes for a moment, and tried to imagine what it would mean if suddenly your help was withdrawn, not only from this, but from all mission stations. What utter desolation it would

mean! Correspondence on any but mission business, except to inform one's family that one is still alive and well, gradually goes to the wall when one has been a year or two away from the centre of things, and if it were not for *The World's Work, Review of Reviews*, etc., what a queer, fossilized creature one would appear on coming back to civilization for a peep, occasionally! The larger picture papers, *Christian Herald, Colliers, Saturday Evening Post*, etc., are perfect boons. Every cabin within reach of us has been wall-papered and decorated generally with them and on my visits I have often spent an entire afternoon walking around the rooms explaining the pictures the family had been wondering about, and reading scraps here and there. No one would again jeer at the wealth of advertising matter which the current magazines contain, who had seen, as I have, the extraordinary amount of pleasure and information they give to the people here, at all events. One 'circuit preacher,' a man who has craved knowledge all his life, and loves the touch of a book, puzzles his way through the simplest English history, confused and lost as to where his place is, if interrupted. 'Henty' is helping him out, and he haunts the region of the little travelling library, turning over the pages that confuse him as Sanskrit would most of us, but sure of the hidden treasure. The 'Life of Washington' in words of one syllable has just been borrowed by a dear little woman, crippled in childhood by the falling of a log which crushed her hip, but didn't daunt her spirit, which is bright and brave. She hobbled down here two miles and a half, and bore off her book with much pride. 'I 'spect there's a lot about him in here,' she said joyfully as she went off. Whoever sent that 'Life of Washington' would be glad enough if they could have seen her.

"P.S.—I wish someone would tell me what we would do without the scrap-books on rainy days, or for weekly prizes without the picture cards!"

"Your kind postal and the pretty scrap-book received Monday night. Little G. had just gone to bed; I let her take it, and she went to sleep with it in her arms. The first thing in the morning she asked where her new scrap-book was. She thinks it is just about right; everywhere she goes, she asks me if she can take her scrap-book."

The Constitution of the C. P. C.

Article I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

Article II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature systematically to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

Article III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

Article IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, a General Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and a Treasurer of the Endowment Fund, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article V.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of this Club shall consist of the Officers *ex-officio,* and two other members who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting.

Article VI.

Meetings.

The regular Meetings of this Club shall be held monthly from October to April, inclusive, at such hour and place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee.

The Annual Meeting shall be that which is held in October. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

The meetings of the Executive Committee shall take place monthly from October to May, inclusive, at such time and place as shall be designated by the Committee. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

Article VII.

Amendments.

This Constitution can be amended at any Annual Meeting, provided due notice shall have been given at the previous Regular Meeting.

By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

President shall preside at all Meetings, appoi
nittees, when authorized by the Club, and call Spec
he request of three Members.

ice-President shall, in the absence of the Preside
duties of that Office.

General Secretary shall conduct the correspondei
ssue notices of, and prepare a Report for, all Meetin
Annual Report with statistics.

neral Secretary shall also have the oversight of
the Central Office, and authority to appoint a s
il such duties during her absence.

II.

Committees.

1. The Executive Committee shall consult concerning the interests and direct the affairs of the Club, decisions of importance to be referred to the General Meeting for endorsement.

The Members shall visit the Central Office from time to time, inform themselves of its workings, and assist as far as possible in the work carried on there.

2. A Committee shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select two men to audit the Treasurer's Annual Report.

3. A Committee of three shall be appointed at the April Meeting to select three laymen as an Advisory Committee, who shall assist the Treasurer of the Endowment Fund in making investments.

4. The Committee on Speakers shall be the President.

III.

Vacancies.

1. All Vacancies among the Officers shall be filled by the Executive Committee, with the approval of the Club.

2. All Vacancies in Committees may be filled at any Meeting of the Club.

IV.

Motions.

All Motions shall be put in writing, and handed to the Recording Secretary.

V.

Voting.

A two-thirds vote of the Members present shall be necessary for the election of Officers and the additional Members of the

mmittee, and for the transaction of other important

VI.

Order of Business.

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Prayers.
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General Secretary.
Treasurer.

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Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of General Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Unfinished Business.
6. New Business.
7. Adjournment.

VIII.

Librarians.

In every Parish in which this work is carried on there shall be a Librarian appointed by the Rector. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Members of the Congregation in the work, and obtain from them regular contributions of literature and money;

To keep a list of the names and addresses of those persons willing to send current periodicals, and to apply to her Correspondent or to the Central Office for recipients for same;

To supply the donors with names and addresses for their periodicals, and notify them of any change of address;

To report to her Correspondent all work done in the Parish;

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is the book on "Parliamentary Procedure," by Miss A. M. Fielde.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

Diocesan Correspondents

No. 1—*New York*

MISS M. E. THOMAS
980 Simpson St., The Bronx, New York. 65 Librari

No. 2—*Chicago. Western Branch*

MRS. CHARLOTTE E. STARBUCK
607 Groveland Park, Chicago, Ill. 25 Librari

No. 3—*Connecticut*

MISS NATHALIE T. PALMER
326 Washington St., Middletown, Conn. 10 Librari

No. 4—*Massachusetts*

MISS M. DEC. WARD
415 Beacon St., Boston, Mass. 58 Librar

No. 5—*Long Island*

MRS. OTTO HEINICKE
420 Ovington Ave., Bay Ridge, N. Y. 78 Libra

No. 6—*Fond du Lac. Western Branch*

No. 7—*Central New York*

MISS MARY E. WOOD
300 N. Washington St., Rome, N. Y. 29 Libra

No. 8—*South Carolina*

MISS EMMA GILCHRIST
12 Bee St., Charleston, S. C. 16 Libr

No. 9—*Albany*

MISS FRANCES A. FINLEY
Champlain, N. Y. 20 Libr

No. 10—*Pittsburg*
Miss Margaret Scully
201 Lexington Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. 21 Librarians

No. 11—*Rhode Island*
Mrs. Howard Hoppin
86 Brown St., Providence, R. I. 26 Librarians

No. 12—*Springfield. Western Branch*
Mrs. D. W. Dresser
620 West Edwards St., Springfield, Ill. 2 Librarians

No. 13—*Tennessee*
Mrs. H. C. Gerhart
"Roselawn," Clarksville, Tenn. 13 Librarians

No. 14—

No. 15—*Minnesota. Western Branch* 10 Librarians

No. 16*a*—*Maryland*
Mrs. A. K. Bond
849 Park Ave., Baltimore, Md. 15 Librarians

No. 16*b*—*Washington*
Mrs. J. A. Gilfillan
1328 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 10 Librarians

No. 17—*North Carolina*
Miss Rebecca Cameron
Box 32, Hillsborough, N. C. 16 Librarians

No. 18—*Pennsylvania*
Miss A. W. Fisher
2222 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Penn. 62 Librarians

No. 19—*Georgia* 2 Librarians

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P. J. WESTOVER
N. James St., Ludington, Mich.

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DELIA WARRINER
Martin Place, Detroit, Mich. 18 Librar

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HELEN WITHERS
of Rev. C. P. Burnett, Livingston, Mont.

thern Ohio
ANNA PHILLIPS
Moorman Ave., Cincinnati, O. 18 Librari

No. 30—*California*
MRS. GAILLARD STONEY
3294 Jackson St., San Francisco, Cal. 23 Librarians

No. 31—*Bethlehem*
MRS. CARLETON C. JONES
34 E. Park Place, Dorranceton, Penn. 13 Librarians

No. 32—*Colorado*
MRS. THOMAS A. SCHOFIELD
969 Clarkson St., Denver, Col. 15 Librarians

No. 33—*Ohio*
MISS JEAN W. BACKUS
2215 E. 46th St., Cleveland, O. 27 Librarians

No. 34—*Oregon*

No. 35—*Florida*
MRS. JOHN E. HARTRIDGE
846 Riverside Ave., Jacksonville, Fla. 6 Librarians

No. 36—*Western New York*
MISS MARY J. PRATT
Manchester, N. Y. 38 Librarians

No. 37—*Kansas*
MRS. CHARLES DUNLAP
937 Kentucky St., Lawrence, Kan. 4 Librarians

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Twenty-first Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club

Room 51, CHURCH MISSIONS HOUSE, 281 Fourth Ave.,

New York City

From June 1st, 1910, to June 1st, 1911

"The Church Periodical Club"

What it Is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

Information about what is not generally known to those who so kindly send reading matter through the Church Periodical Club.

The C. P. C. is always very glad to get good reading matter of all kinds, with the following exceptions:

Back numbers of the following magazines: *Spectator, Outlook, North American Review, Literary Digest, Review of Reviews,* etc., etc. Those who greatly desire these when up-to-date cannot use them when the information they contain is no longer fresh.

Those to whom the date of magazines does not matter would not care for such solid reading and so we find a great difficulty in placing them.

The same can be said of old Church papers, which contain chiefly news of the Church with little else to make them desirable when old.

Above all old newspapers. Occasionally we have bundles of such sent to the Central Office; they cannot be used even for selling as old paper, for it lessens the rate of the other matter with which it is sold. The expressage paid on such would be of far greater use than the paper itself. Copies of the daily, weekly, and Sunday papers, however, are very much appreciated if sent immediately after being read.

In sending reading matter to the Central Office, or to addresses furnished by the C. P. C., the freight or express charges should always be prepaid.

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From June 1st, 1910, to June 1st, 1911

Report of the Executive Secretary

Giving total reports received from 55 of the 74 Dioc
and Missionary Districts on our records.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each wee
or month by Diocesan Branches.....
No. of Current Periodicals sent each week and month from the Centr
Office .....
No. of Bibles, Testaments, Psalms and Gospels.....
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals, with and without music.....
No. of Books, Theological and Secular.....
No. of Tracts and Catechisms.....
No. of Pictures, Games, etc.....
No. of Odd Magazines and Papers.....
No. of Christmas, Easter and Sunday School Cards and Calendars.....
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols and Music in Books and Sheets...
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not note
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by Freight from Central Office.....
No. of Packages sent by Express from Central Office.....
No. of Packages sent by Mail from Central Office.....
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office.....
No. of Letters and Postals sent from Central Office.....
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Clergy.....
No. of Recipients on C. P. C. Books—Laity.....
No. of Hospitals, Life-Saving Stations, Reading Rooms, etc.....

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous dona
books, cards, calendars, etc., to the following firms: Messrs
Crothers & Co., E. P. Dutton & Co., Edwin S. Gorham, T
E. Schulte, Thomas Whittaker, The American News C
Church Kalendar Co., The Century Co., Current Literat
The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society, The New Yo
and Common Prayer Book Society and The Outlook Co.

Also to the publishers of *The Churchman, The S*
Churchman, The Holy Cross Magazine, St. Andrew's Cr
The Spirit of Missions, for free copies sent to the C. P. C.
the senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

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General Secretary, C.

Report of the Recording Secretary

The twenty-first Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club is sent out with gratitude to the friends who have enabled us to carry on the work during the past year. We would thank them, one and all, for their substantial help; praying them, also, "not to be weary in well doing," but to continue their interest, without which the work would come to a standstill.

Some old and valued friends have been withdrawn from their earthly usefulness since the last report was written. They are:

Mrs. Robert Edson, Librarian of Trinity Church, Rochester, N. Y., Diocese of Western New York; Miss Addie Smith, Librarian of Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, N. C., Diocese of North Carolina; Mrs. T. B. Woolsey, Librarian of Ascension Church, New York, Diocese of New York; Mrs. C. E. Haydock, Librarian of St. Matthew's Church, New York, Diocese of New York; Mrs. Thomas S. Yocum, Librarian of St. Andrew's Church, Richmond, Staten Island, Diocese of New York; Miss Ethel Hyde, Librarian of St. Thomas's Church, New York, Diocese of New York; Miss Emma Battersley, Librarian of Church of All Angels, New York, Diocese of New York. Two members of the Executive Committee, Mrs. B. W. Strong and Mrs. D. T. Hoag, deserve more than a passing notice here. Minutes to their memory will be found elsewhere in the report.

The firms who have continued their gifts to the Club during the past year will be mentioned on another page; their unfailing kindness cannot be too gratefully acknowledged.

One of the important events of the past year has been the closing of the Western Branch, and the consolidation of all the

work of the C. P. C. It is pleasant to note the continued i of former workers of the Western Branch, and their sincere to help the good work.

The removal of the Office to larger quarters in the M House is another event to be noted. The larger space for l books, etc., and for working is most desirable, as also the privacy of the clerks' quarters; and it is hoped that the wo grow and improve in consequence.

A lecture on Oberammergau with stereopticon views wa for the Club by Mrs. James W. Haslehurst. Not only the but the room in which it was held, belonging to the Church Heavenly Rest, was given without charge for the benefit Club. The amount netted was $254.50.

Mr. Marshall Darrach, the Shakespearian "impersonato offered to give us a recital in February, 1912, and has furth sented to add two more recitals at the expense of the Club ballroom in the Plaza Hotel has been secured, and it is hop a large attendance will bring us many new friends, and giv pleasure to all who are present.

Every year the demands on the C. P. C. are greater, a responsibilities increase. They can only be undertaken with for God's blessing on our work, renewed efforts to help H dren, and in humble thankfulness that we are permitted t in His Name.

ANN H. LAIGI
Recording Secr

Report of Contributions

	Received by Treasurer.	Reported by Correspondents.
Alabama	$28 50	$56 20
Albany	26 00	17 00
Asheville	12 25	11 25
California		85 55
Canada	2 00	
Central New York	31 35	12 00
Central Pennsylvania	12 00	
Chicago		10 25
Colorado	8 50	6 50
Connecticut	139 00	120 51
Dakota		
Delaware	1 00	
Dallas		
East Carolina		
Easton		
Florida	2 25	
Georgia	50	19 20
Harrisburg	5 00	23 78
Idaho		
Illinois		5 00
Indiana		
Iowa	2 50	
Kansas	3 75	5 00
Kentucky	4 10	20 00
Louisiana	1 50	
Long Island	216 75	2,000 00
Los Angeles	12 00	46 80
Maine	3 00	3 00
Maryland	9 01	30 53
Massachusetts	255 00	724 05
Michigan	25	53 73
Minnesota		
Mississippi	2 00	
Missouri	2 00	40 10
Nebraska	1 25	
Newark	61 00	471 30
New Hampshire	25	
New Jersey	28 00	21 00
New York	4,077 49	3,780 37
North Carolina	43 42	22 40
Ohio	14 94	86 43
Pennsylvania	234 50	
Pittsburgh	23 00	26 00
Rhode Island	11 25	89 44
South Carolina	18 00	11 00
South Dakota	2 25	
Southern Florida		9 66
Southern Ohio	27 00	82 55
Southern Virginia	5 00	
Tennessee	1 00	1 60
Texas	5 00	23 40
Utah	3 55	
Vermont	11 35	15 00
Virginia	33 70	31 14
Washington, D. C.	14 00	70 45
Western Branch		107 34
Western Massachusetts		
Western New York	29 00	19 65
West Texas		
West Virginia		36 00
Wisconsin	1 00	

Treasurer's

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN ACCOUNT WITH

.....	$2,517 38	
.....	831 25	
nses: Postage, printing, wages, etc.....	1,142 39	
d Cartage.....	340 64	
.....	10 25	
nnual Report.....	135 00	
Postage and Stationery.....	20 00	
		$4,996 91

Tracts and Books.....	$ 153 29
and Easter Cards and Boxes.....	49 00
ns for Periodicals.....	166 43
e Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner.....	28 00
House Expense.....	5 00
Fund	172 28
Libraries	43 40
.....	30 50
r in Office.....	28 71
ss Stewart.....	30 25

Report

MRS. R. H. OAKLEY, JUNE 1, 1910, TO JUNE 1, 1911 — **CR.**

June 1st, 1910. Balance		$1,424 42
By Annual Subscriptions	$ 53 25	
Donations	3,778 92	
		$4,313 17

Specials:—

For Express and Postage	$ 223 58	
Books, Theological, Educational, etc	86 45	
Subscriptions for Periodicals	20 25	
Christmas Cards and Boxes	27 84	
Appeal in Churchman	3 00	
The late Rev. J. Brann's Parishioner	28 00	
United Offering	11 75	
Travelling Library Fund	18 00	
Memorial Libraries	37 25	
Schipagraft	8 75	
From Sale of Tickets for Entertainment	277 00	
Endowment Fund	120 28	
General Secretary	50 00	
Salary for Clerks	213 00	
Telephone and Rent	23 75	
Special for Miss Stewart	32 25	
Charts and Tracts	9 75	
Sale of Old Books	113 14	
Interest from Endowment Fund	368 28	
Interest from Savings Bank	21 61	
Interest from Bank of the Metropolis	2 21	
Refund for Ice	3 25	
		1,699 39
		$7,436 98

Emergency Fund in Union Square Savings Bank	$1,023 97
Building Fund in Union Square Savings Bank	101 00

Examined and found correct.

PETER B. OLNEY, JR., *Auditor.*

July 20th, 1911

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5,576	504	55,328	25,549	681	11,413	416	16
455	101	9,584	1,275	238	1,115	10	.....
409	.....	3,715	760	.....	91	30	.....
3,754	1,112	15,054	3,205	57	1,821	129	.....
3,000	1,000	52,000	29,700	3,000	12,175	42	.....
.....	.....	400	100	20	50	15	.....
459	.....	7,320	616	99	444	88	.....
138	.....	30,000	1,939	.....	19	5	.....
62	.....	590	333	.....	2	9	.....
735	15	10,450	1,146	885	81	65	.....
.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
266	24	6,113	474	10	75	11	.....
.....	.....	2,050	.....	15	611	13	.....
.....	.....	2,381	457	.....	268	.....	.....
640	105	2,183	662	.....	307	20	.....
12	.....	200	50	.....	.....	2	.....
2,115	2,907	39,831	10,041	.....	803	81	1
450	100	1,500	500	100	100	21	.....
1,159	179	17,686	795	1,169	550	8	.....
30	.....	150	370	.....	1	20	.....

Dioceses.	Current Periodicals Sent Regularly.	Bibles, Testaments, Psalms.	Prayer Books, Hymnals.	Books, Theological and Secular.	Tracts, Catechisms.	Odd Magazines and Papers.	Christmas and Easter Cards, Calendars.	Carols, Music.	Pictures, Games, etc.	Boxes and Barrels, Contents not Known.	Travelling Libraries.
Florida	12	.....	.....	5	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Western New York	400	.....	.....	34	6	767	899	.....	43	16	.....
Kansas	No report										
Indianapolis	No report										
Vermont	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	.....	.....	4	.....
Nevada	No report										
Maine	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Louisiana	No report										
West Virginia	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	767	.....	.....	.....	12	.....
New Jersey	196	28	27	386	.....	25,000	17,080	245	706	28	.....
Mississippi	No report										
Kentucky	215	.....	.....	33	9	8,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nebraska	No report										
Milwaukee	169	1	.....	114	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
Southern Virginia	No report										
Olympia	No report										
Virginia	256	.....	.....	220	.....	3,707	134	.....	.....	26	.....
Dallas	1	.....	.....	29	.....	242	.....	.....	3	2	.....
Marquette	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Alabama	95	.....	.....	.....	191	37	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Southern Florida	105	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,385	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Easton	62	2	.....	4	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	15	.....
Iowa	No report										
Delaware	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	6	.....
Missouri	128	.....	2	10	.....	125	1,346	.....	.....	46	.....
Los Angeles	194	.....	.....	9	.....	2,958	254	.....	62	6	.....
New Hampshire	No report										
Lexington	1	.....	.....	28	.....	524	110	4	91	3	.....
North Dakota	No report										
Duluth	No report										
Kansas City	92	1	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
Asheville	16	.....	.....	5	.....	50	.....	.....	24	.....	.....
Quincy	No report										
Harrisburg	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,070	.....	.....	.....	32	.....
Sacramento	No report										
Michigan City	No report										
District of Mexico	No report										
Atlanta	98	.....	50	68	.....	1,090	142	.....	179	2	.....

"Founder's Endowment Fund"

June 1st, 1910, to June 1st, 1911

31 shares of American Express stock, yielding an annual income of $368.28. Estimated value of above stock	$6,000 00
A mortgage, annual income of which is $315	7,000 00
In German Savings Bank	642 56
Total	$13,642 56

During this year $280.13 has been received for the Endowment Fund. This is less than came to us last year. We therefore earnestly appeal to our many kind friends to help us raise this necessary endowment to enable the C. P. C. to carry on its daily increasing world-wide work. We are grateful to all who have sent donations and thank all our friends for their continued interest.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH S. DAVISON BROWN,

Treasurer.

223 Prospect Avenue, New Brighton, N. Y.

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Report of the Travelling Libraries

June 1st, 1910, to June 1st, 1911

In the report from the Committee on Travelling Libraries of 1909 and 1910 we asked for some Libraries for Children. That appeal has been very promptly responded to, for of the 31 new libraries, 8 of them were for children. There are also 2 Theological Libraries, and this variety helps us to satisfy the needs of many localities.

The following letters will be of interest, and will show the appreciation with which they are welcomed:

"If you could have been present to note how sincerely the last Library seemed to be appreciated by the Sunday-school especially, as well as by the Parish, I am quite sure there would be no hesitation in sending another. The demand was so great for these books that I feel quite certain that every volume was taken out to be read by someone. Permit me to assure you of our gratitude for this privilege, and of our welcome for another Library."

Another recipient writes: "I am so thankful for the offer of the Travelling Library, and I need hardly say how gladly I shall pay the freight. I am looking forward to many happy and profitable hours during the next six months. How much the Travelling Libraries will mean to men who, like myself, are far removed from good libraries, you can hardly tell."

LILLIAN M. WILLIAMS.

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2222 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa. 69 Librarians

No. 19—*Georgia*

Suggestions to Contributors

In forwarding the *first* number of any paper to an address furnished by the Club, send a postal card with it, requesting recipient to acknowledge receipt.

Write recipients once in six months, inquiring if paper is received. Should card sent with the first number and that sent every six months not be responded to within a reasonable time, another address will be given for the paper.

Send paper as regularly and as promptly as possible.

Report discontinuance of paper promptly to the Parish Librarian, that recipient may be supplied from elsewhere.

See that postage is *sufficiently* prepaid, as otherwise the paper will not be forwarded.

Prepay transportation on all packages sent out, whether by mail, express, or freight.

General Meetings

The meetings for the ensuing year were arranged:

NOVEMBER 27TH. Trinity House, Newark, N. J.
DECEMBER 18TH, Diocesan House, New York.
JANUARY 22D, 1912, at 3 P.M., Christ Church Parish House, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
FEBRUARY 26TH, Diocesan House, New York City.
MARCH 25TH, 10:30 A.M., Garden City, Long Island.
APRIL 22D, Diocesan House, New York City.

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Letters Received

A clergyman in Texas writes:

"In behalf of the congregation here, and the one in B——, I wish to thank you and the Church Periodical Club for the handsome Bibles given us. Enclosed is an article clipped from the paper. There was a good congregation Sunday night, and all were interested in the 'big Bible.'" The following is from the paper: "The congregation of the Protestant Episcopal Church has been presented with an unusually large and handsome copy of the Holy Bible, the gift of the Church Periodical Club, whose headquarters are in New York. The Bible is 12 by 16 inches and weighs over twenty pounds. It is the translation commonly called the Authorized or King James Version, which has been in common use in the Church of England since 1611, and is familiar to all Protestants that read and speak the English language. Although every Episcopalian is supposed to have his own Bible for devotional reading at home, and although the Book of Common Prayer is but a compilation of passages of Scripture adapted for common public worship, yet every Episcopal Church has and uses a large Bible, which lies in a prominent and honorable position, eloquently symbolic of the Church's offering of the 'Open Bible' as the guide of faith and morals. From it are read the Lessons at Morning and Evening Prayer. Rev. Mr. S—— announces that, after the services Sunday night, all present will be invited to view and examine this large and beautiful copy of the Holy Scriptures."

A missionary in Alaska writes:

"In behalf of St. Philip's Church and gymnasium I wish to convey the hearty thanks of the people for the magnificent collection of books that came through the Church Periodical Club. What few books we had in our Sunday-school library our boys and girls had read through many times, and the complaint was continually, 'I wish I had something to read.' Now after Sunday-school you may see a crowd of them gathering about their library exchanging books. The books that are not distinctly Sunday-school have been placed in the library connected with our gymnasium. Here our Monday

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Mrs. A. E. Doisy
77 W. 4th St., Covington, Ky. 1 Librarian

from other warm states with sick folks and children, without any medicine they get well. We have sleighing from November to April, and all summer, all around us at a distance of from 20 to 1,000 miles, we can see the snow."

From South Dakota:

"The book arrived last evening, and I shall give it careful perusal. I am partial to Baring Gould's sermons—they are always full of meat, and it is a pleasure to read and study this man's methods in sermonizing. It is very kind of you indeed to remember me with such useful books. You realize that the brain needs food to stimulate it to action, the same as the body needs food to keep up the nerve force. Every kind act of this kind, sending out to missionaries good and useful books, helps the missionary to keep in touch with modern thought, and so by this method keeps his people in touch with the best in sermonizing—thus he can give them in a simplified way the Gospel of the blessed Master."

From Michigan:

"The magazines for the Club were always appreciated; the boys frequently spoke about it, and never got to take it as a matter of course. I furnished a few rooms in the rectory, and fitted up some for the boys and young men of the town. Now that I am gone, I do not know what is to be done, and am waiting to hear. In the years I was there, I got hold of nearly a dozen chaps of some sixteen years, and from idlers they have become self-supporting, self-respecting, and reading young men; and I am confident that in large measure this was due to the help rendered by the C. P. C. literature. It would be impossible to tell of the blessings sent to us in the boxes of old books and magazines. I found in lumber camps fifteen to forty men, isolated for the winter, without anything to read and nothing to do during the long winter evenings? Can you imagine what a box of reading matter meant in such a place! About three weeks before I left, by a providential chance, I heard a man beg for something to read, in a drug store. Asking about him, I found he was a college man of high standing, that his wife was a woman of much culture, and had been a teacher and they had a young son, a boy of perhaps ten. They had come

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CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

CHURCH MISSIONS HOUSE
281 Fourth Avenue
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TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

The Constitution of the C. P. C.

ARTICLE I.

Name.

The Name of this Association shall be the Church Periodical Club.

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The Object of the Church Periodical Club shall be to supply literature to such Missionaries, Sunday Schools, Reading Rooms, etc., as are unable to purchase for themselves.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

The Members of this Club shall consist of the Executive Committee, Correspondents, Librarians, and Annual Subscribers.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The Officers of this Club shall be a President, Vice-Presidents, an Executive Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and

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By-Laws

I.

Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall preside at all Meetings, appoint Special Committees, and call Special Meetings at the request of three Members.

2. One of the Vice-Presidents shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that Office.

3. The Executive Secretary shall have charge of the work done in the Central Office, with authority to appoint a substitute to fulfil such duties during her absence. She shall also issue notices of, and prepare a report for, all Meetings, including a yearly report.

4. The Recording Secretary shall take the Minutes of all Meetings, keep the records of the Club, prepare the Annual Report, with such assistance as she shall ask for at the April Meeting, notify the Officers of their election, inform Committees of their appointment, and of the duties assigned to them, and conduct all necessary correspondence, except such as is connected with the work in the Office.

5. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys, deposit the same in a Bank or Banks approved by the Executive Committee, and make such disbursements as may be necessary. She shall render a statement of receipts and expenditures at each Meeting, and prepare the Report for the Annual Meeting.

"The Church Periodical Club"

What it Is. . . . What it Does. . . . What it Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents, and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carols, Service Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

VI.

Order of Business.

General Meeting.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of General Meeting.
3. Report of Executive Secretary and Reading of Letters.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Report of Treasurer of Endowment Fund.
6. Report of Committee on Travelling Libraries.
7. Report of Committee on Publication and Printing.
8. Roll Call.
9. Unfinished Business.
10. New Business.
11. Closing Prayers or Doxology.
12. Adjournment.

Executive Committee.

1. Opening Prayers.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of Executive Secretary.
4. Report of Treasurer.
5. Report of Treasurer of Endowment Fund.
6. Reports of Committees.
7. Unfinished Business.
8. New Business.
9. Adjournment.

VII.

Correspondents.

In every Diocese in which this work is carried on there shall be a Correspondent appointed by the Bishop. Her duties shall be as follows:

To interest the Parishes in the work, and obtain the appointment of a Librarian in each Parish.

To keep a list of Parishes and Librarians working for the

List of Officers

President

Mrs. Otto Heinigke.....420 Ovington Ave., Bay Ridge, N. Y.

Vice-Presidents

Miss Louisa B. Allen.....275 Quincy St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mrs. C. G. Lee.....23 Prospect St., Boston, Mass.
Miss Charlotte S. Draper.....Wilton, N. H.
Mrs. Gaillard Stoney....3294 Jackson St., San Francisco, Cal.
Mrs. Homer W. Reboul.....St. James, Long Island, N. Y.
Miss Agnes Lathers.....1 West 94th St., New York
Miss A. D. Gilbert.....11 Chestnut St., East Orange, N. J.
Miss M. E. Thomas.....980 Simpson St., New York
Miss Sallie Stuart.....Alexandria, Va.
Miss Ann H. Laight.....Scarsdale, N. Y.
Mrs. E. V. W. Rossiter.....23 Sanford Ave., Flushing, N. Y.

Executive Secretary

Mrs. J. L. Chapin.....140 West 69th St., New York

Recording Secretary

Mrs. J. H. Kidder.....38 West 9th St., New York

Treasurer

Mrs. D. G. Luckett.....103 Waverly Place, New York

Treasurer of Endowment Fund

Miss Edith S. Davison Brown,
223 Prospect Ave., New Brighton, N. Y.

In case of inability to continue the work, to notify her Rector and her Correspondent, turning over to the latter all records until the appointment of her successor.

To send a notice of each General Meeting to her Rector.

IX.

Nomination of Officers.

The Nomination of Officers and additional Members of the Executive Committee shall be by informal ballot at the Annual Meeting.

X.

Parliamentary Authority.

The Parliamentary Authority which shall govern the Church Periodical Club is Reed's Parliamentary Rules.

XI.

Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended at any General Meeting.

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From June 1st, 1911, to April 1st, 1912

Report of the Executive Secretary

Giving total reports received from 49 of the 62 Dioceses and Missionary Districts on our records.

No. of Current Church and Secular Periodicals sent regularly each week or month by Diocesan Branches	18,250
No. of Current Periodicals sent each week and month from the Central Office	933
No. of Bibles, Testaments, Psalms and Gospels	986
No. of Prayer Books and Hymnals, with and without music	2,335
No. of Books, Theological and Secular	30,383
No. of Tracts and Catechisms	18,402
No. of Pictures, Games, etc	40,143
No. of Odd Magazines and Papers	246,393
No. of Christmas, Easter and Sunday-school Cards and Calendars	128,528
No. of Christmas and Easter Carols and Music in Books and Sheets	5,186
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent out by Diocesan Branches, contents not noted	1,436
No. of Boxes and Barrels sent by Freight from Central Office	676
No. of Packages sent by Express from Central Office	169
No. of Packages sent by Mail from Central Office	4,978
No. of Letters and Postals received at Central Office	4,307
No. of Letters and Postals sent from Central Office	5,406
No. of Recipients—Clergy	1,194
No. of Recipients—Laity	2,726
No. of Hospitals, Life-Saving Stations, Reading Rooms, etc	296

Most cordial thanks are extended for generous donations of magazines, cards, calendars, etc., to the following: Messrs. R. W. Crothers & Co., E. P. Dutton & Co., Edwin S. Gorham, James A. Jenkins, Theodore E. Schulte, Thomas Whittaker, The American News Co., The Church Kalendar Co., The Century Co., Current Literature Co., Doubleday, Page & Co., The Hospital Book and Newspaper Society, The New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society, The Outlook Co. and The Harvard Club.

Also to the publishers of *The Churchman, The Southern Churchman, The Holy Cross Magazine, St. Andrew's Cross* and *The Spirit of Missions*, for free copies sent to the Church Periodical Club, and to the senders of diocesan and parochial papers.

AUGUSTA C. CHAPIN,
Executive Secretary, C. P. C.

No. 12—*Springfield*
Mrs. D. W. Dresser — 2 Librarians

No. 13—*Tennessee*
Mrs. H. C. Gerhart
"Rose Lawn," Clarksville, Tenn. — 15 Librarians

No. 14—

No. 15—*Minnesota*
Mrs. C. C. Rollit
4400 Washburn Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. — 7 Librarians

No. 16*a*—*Maryland*
Miss I. M. Bond
1402 Bolton St., Baltimore, Md. — 17 Librarians

No. 16*b*—*Washington*
Mrs. J. A. Gilfillan
1328 12th St., Washington, D. C. — 13 Librarians

No. 17—*North Carolina*
Miss Rebecca Cameron
Box 32, Hillsboro, N. C. — 3 Librarians

No. 18—*Pennsylvania*
Miss A. W. Fisher
2222 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa. — 72 Librarians

No. 19—*Georgia*

No. 20—*Western Michigan*
Mrs. P. J. Westover
322 N. James St., Ludington, Mich — 1 Librarian

No. 21—*West Texas*

No. 22—*Michigan*
Miss Delia Warriner
49 Martin Place, Detroit, Mich. — 17 Librarians

No. 23—*New Mexico*

No. 24—*Montana*
Miss Helen Withers
216 N. 23d St., Billings, Mont.

No. 25—*Southern Ohio*
Miss Anna Phillips
2546 Moorman Ave., Cincinnati, O — 21 Librarians

No. 26—*Texas*
Mrs. C. M. Desel
Dickinson, Tex. — 2 Librarians

said that he wished only to say a word of appreciation for the work of the Club, which he would help and encourage to the utmost.

The Poughkeepsie meeting, in January, was addressed by Archdeacon Spurr, of West Virginia, who spoke of the great help which the Church Periodical Club gives to prisoners, and those who are cut off from their fellow-men.

At the February meeting, in New York, the Rev. A. R. Hoare, from Alaska, told of the work at Point Hope among the Esquimaux, and of the help given by the Club in sending books and pictures.

The March meeting, in Garden City, L. I., was addressed by Bishop Darlington, of Harrisburg. He spoke of the urgent need for some places of innocent amusement, where the lads working in mines could be kept from the saloons, always ready to entice them, and where books, games, etc., would be provided.

The Church Periodical Club needs help as much as the missions to which gifts are sent. The balance in the treasury has been exceptionally low this past season, and the public seems to think that rent can be met, clerks paid and literature sent out with no money. Would that it were so! We could then extend the work and respond to the numberless appeals which we are now obliged to ignore, because we have not the means. A small sum from a number of individuals would gladden the hearts of so many! They beg for a magazine, a few Sunday-school books for a struggling mission, some picture-cards to amuse children in a hospital, one or two theological books for a student who can barely work his way through the seminary. Each request is so small, it seems as if it could not be refused; and yet, together, they make a demand upon the treasury which cannot be met with the present assets.

Will not our friends help us? Will they not make it possible for us to say to every applicant: "Yes, we will gladly give you the aid for which you ask; and we are able to do this because there are many, so many friends, who recognize the needs of their fellow-creatures, and are anxious to help them, in the Name, and for the love of their Master, Christ"?

ANN H. LAIGHT,
Recording Secretary.

No. 44—*New Jersey*
Mrs. E. F. Feickert
Dunellen, N. J. — 24 Librarians

No. 45—*Mississippi* — 1 Librarian

No. 46—*Kentucky*
Miss Amy Branders
1226 2d St., Louisville, Ky. — 15 Librarians

No. 47—*Nebraska*
Mrs. J. C. Bonsfield
Auburn, Neb. — 2 Librarians

No. 48—*Milwaukee*
Miss Mary O. Allen
719 Cass St., Milwaukee, Wis. — 22 Librarians

No. 49—*Southern Virginia*
Mrs. W. A. Anderson
28 Lee Ave., Lexington, Va. — 24 Librarians

No. 50—*Olympia*
Mrs. F. C. Babcock
816 E. Prospect St., Seattle, Wash.

No. 51—*Virginia*
Mrs. M. G. Wallace
100 S. 3d St., Richmond, Va. — 25 Librarians

No. 52—*Dallas*
Mrs. F. D. Davis
1320 S. Adams St., Ft. Worth, Tex. — 5 Librarians

No. 53—*Marquette*
Mrs. J. H. Wegner
201 Ruby St., Houghton, Mich. — 2 Librarians

No. 54—*Alabama*
Mrs. Stewart McQueen
96 Mobile St., Montgomery, Ala. — 16 Librarians

No. 55—*Southern Florida*
Mrs. J. H. Weddell
Lakeland, Fla. — 5 Librarians

No. 56—*Easton*
Miss Ellen Barroll
Elkton, Md. — 22 Librarians

No. 57—*Iowa*
Mrs. George W. Hinkle
Waterloo, Ia. — 8 Librarians

Report

MRS. D. G. LUCKETT, JUNE 1ST, 1911, TO APRIL 15TH, 1912 **CR.**

June 1st, 1911. Balance			$1,589 90
By Annual Subscriptions	$2,239 77		
Donations	643 54		
			2,883 31
Specials :—			
Express and Postage	$ 217 35		
Bibles, Books, Tracts, etc	64 55		
Subscriptions to Periodicals	12 17		
Christmas and Easter Cards and Boxes	54 70		
Use of General Secretary	50 00		
Salaries	200 00		
Rent	5 00		
Telephone	12 10		
Refund for Ice	6 38		
Stationery and Printing	5 30		
Travelling Libraries	13 00		
Travelling Library Fund	15 00		
Building Fund	5 00		
Endowment Fund	62 55		
United Offering	18 00		
A Pensioner	24 00		
Sale of Calendars	173 50		
Sale of Tickets for Recitals	461 00		
Sale of Old Books	50 09		
Interest from Endowment Fund	738 98		
Interest from Bank of the Metropolis	6 32		
Emergency Fund	200 00		
			$2,394 99
			$6,868 20
Emergency Fund in Union Square Savings Bank			$ 846 23
Building Fund in Union Square Savings Bank			108 46

Examined and found correct.

(Signed) ROBT. H. OAKLEY, *Auditor.*

April 19th. 1912.

Diocese.	Current Periodicals Sent Regularly.	Regular Contributors of Periodicals.	Bibles, Testaments, Psalms.	Prayer Books, Hymnals.	Books, Theological and Secular.	Tracts, Catechisms.	Odd Magazines and Papers.	Christmas and Easter Cards, Calendars.	Carols, Music.	Pictures, Games, etc.	Boxes and Barrels, Contents not Known.	Travelling Libraries.	Money.
Colorado	56	82						30					
Ohio	198				112		300	80		11	22	1	95.43
Florida	9				15		13				2		
Western New York	273	81			2		207	108		15	20		38.25
Kansas	No report												
Indianapolis	No report												
Vermont	86							59		100	40	3	8.00
Nevada													
Maine	62			15	12			50			35		5.00
West Virginia	88	67					505						8.00
New Jersey	303	230	22	48	633	1,130	6,645	5,313	28	989	8		114.00
Mississippi	5	2											1.00
Kentucky	319	45			75		658	9		50			5.02
Nebraska													
Milwaukee	157	119			330		4		10		16		18.61
Southern Virginia	176			10	8		4,704	25	10	186	11		66.27
Virginia	363				276		3,700	210			31		56.38
Alabama	72	31			36		279		57		2		29.28
Southern Florida	80				2		1,893	30			4		19.65
Easton	103		5	14		12	150	6		2	16		5.00
Iowa	28	22			36		392						
Delaware	89	40	50	62	24	200	850				5		7.00
Missouri	141	58			23		2,935	1,300			35		30.87
Los Angeles	144	52		4	90		3,198	335		4	10		29.59
New Hampshire	15	9			11		150			1			1.00
Lexington	2	2			2		695	3			2		
Kansas City	70	42					14						6.00
Asheville	11	9		2		28				10			20.00
Quincy	10	5						122			1		
Harrisburg	26						1,227			14	13		5.00
Atlanta	84	10	67		32		630	133		813	5		
Erie	91	69			37		148	143			3		6.00

Report of the Travelling Libraries

June 1st, 1911, to April 1st, 1912

Since the last Annual Report of the Travelling Libraries of the Church Periodical Club there have been 19 Libraries added to those already in circulation, making a total of 93 throughout the United States.

These Libraries are threading their way East and West, North and South, bearing joy and gladness to those who receive them, and causing an ever-increasing demand for more from those who have had to pass them on, in order that others may share in the pleasure.

The gratitude of all who have enjoyed the privilege of the Libraries, and the inestimable benefit which many have received from their use, must surely bring its own blessing to the ones who have so lovingly supplied this need of those less fortunate than themselves.

The following extracts from grateful letters may be of interest:

Mr. Betticher writes from Alaska: "The Church Periodical Club has added to its long list of good deeds by giving six Libraries to the Tanana Valley. During the coming months many a miner, prospector, trapper or hunter will enjoy these books, to say nothing of the isolated missionary. Little will be heard, but you can think of these books silently and steadily giving pleasure."

A recipient from Utah writes: "A Library can be used to great advantage by the Rev. Mr. R——, who has a work in one of our large smelter towns, where the people have practically no opportunity for culture, and he has just been asking for books for his people, so that your offer seemed almost like an answer to his request."

A recipient from West Virginia writes: "It is impossible to give you an adequate idea as to what a blessing this exceptionably beautiful Library is. It is almost too lovely for a grimy mining camp, but it means so much to the boys and girls who have no Library, no Reading Room, no social centre of any sort, nothing uplifting or elevating."

Respectfully submitted,

LILIAN M. WILLIAMS,
Chairman Travelling Libraries Committee.

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REFERENCE DEPARTMENT

This book is under no circumstances to be
taken from the Building